

RESERVES
SUMMONED
TO REPORT

Ready to Join the Colors on but a Moment's Notice.

ROUMANIA IS READY FOR ACTION.

Belief That the Peace Conference Failed in Its Mission.

ADRIANOPLE IS REPORTED FALLEN.

Austria-Hungary and Italy Preparing to Land Forces

In Albania, Immediately on Conclusion of London Conference.

Bucharest, Rumania, Jan. 3.—The officers of the reserve of the Rumanian army have been ordered to report for service and to be in readiness to join the colors at a moment's notice.

Vienna, Austria, Jan. 3.—Austria-Hungary and Italy are making preparations to land a joint expeditionary force in Albania immediately after the conclusion of the London conference, according to the Wiener Journal today.

This step, it is said, is to be taken by the two allies in order to pacify and establish a new condition of affairs there.

Paris, Jan. 3.—A rumor that the Turkish fortress of Adrianople has fallen into the hands of the besiegers was current on the Bourse here today.

London, Jan. 3.—Advises received by the Serbian peace delegation today indicated that the condition of Adrianople was desperate and that its capitulation was perhaps only a question of hours.

Smyrna, Asiatic Turkey, Jan. 3.—The Turkish sailing vessel Theodore, of 660 tons was blown up today by coming in contact with a floating mine at the entrance to Smyrna bay.

Athens, Jan. 3.—The Turkish garrison of the island of Chios, numbering 3,000 men of all arms, surrendered unconditionally today to the Greek troops.

MOORE GOT
TWO SHOTS

In His Arm During the Quarrel Which Kerr Started.

TWO YOUNG MEN WANTED SAME GIRL.

Man Who Fired the Shots Has Dropped Out of Sight.

West Union, O., Jan. 3.—Sheriff Williams and deputies are today searching for William Kerr, who is wanted in connection with the serious shooting of William Moore at Blue Creek, east of West Union last night.

Oakley Ogden and Kerr have been rivals for the hand of Miss Hazel Haskins, a pretty country girl. Last night Ogden attended a dance with Miss Haskins and after in service escorted her home. The couple was accompanied by Ogden's father and Moore, who is a neighbor of the Haskins.

As the party passed the home of Kerr, the latter rushed out and it is alleged started to attack Ogden. Moore started to grapple with Kerr, when it is alleged the latter fired four times with a .22 calibre revolver. Two bullets entered the right arm of Moore, one his right chest and one his side. None of the wounds are considered fatal because of the light penetrating power of the .22 calibre cartridge. During the commotion, Kerr escaped.

PARCELS POST NOT
SAFE EGG CARRIER

Washington, Jan. 3.—Senator Alton Powers of Ohio is seeking today for the senate office building employee who left a smugly package of scrambled eggs on his mahogany desk yesterday. They were not cooked and they spread themselves carefully over the adjacent territory. The eggs were youthful, fresh and intact when they started out from Massillon, O., by way of parcels post to gladden the heart of the senator. When they had received violent destruction in transit they became discouraged and eventually arrived in a shattered condition. Eight of them wearily came their way out of the package when it was laid on the senator's desk. Four only retained their shape.

PAINTERS EXPECT
TO QUIT TODAY.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 3.—Between 1,000 and 1,500 journeymen painters are expected to quit work this afternoon and not resume until the master painters grant them an increase in wages of a cent an hour and the right to call a sympathetic strike, according to statement of master painters. At Building Trades headquarters, knowledge of an impending strike was denied. Employers claim that the present agreement contains a clause giving the journeymen the right to call sympathetic strikes, and that any agreement expires this afternoon. Some of them say they will refuse to sign any new agreement containing this clause, and that a strike will be called on this account.

SMUGGLERS
WON BATTLE

And Carried Off Booty Amounting to \$90,000 in Cash.

NINE WERE KILLED; FOURTEEN WOUNDED

Herdsmen Carried Away Their Employer but Left Money.

Valencia-Do-Minho, Portugal, Jan. 3.—A daring band of smugglers on the Portuguese-Spanish frontier carried off \$90,000 in cash today after a fierce battle with a cattle raiser and forty of his herdsmen in the course of which nine of the cowboys were killed and fourteen severely wounded.

Jose Murilhaes, one of the best known cattle breeders in the province of Minho had been for several weeks passing form fair and had disposed of three herds of bulls. He then started for home with the Portuguese equivalent of \$90,000 in bank notes and cash with him. He was guarded by forty of his herdsmen.

Early this morning while he was passing close to the border between Portugal and Spain, he was suddenly attacked by a large band of armed smugglers, who fired on his party from behind rocks and thickets. The herdsmen returned the fire with vigor but were finally forced to flee. They carried off Murilhaes who had been seriously wounded, but left the whole of the money and 23 of their comrades on the field, nine of them dead and most of the others fatally injured.

The civil guards of the entire province have been called out and are searching for the smugglers and the treasure, but no trace of them has been found.

DROWNED UNDER
HIS AUTOMOBILE.

Bowling Green, O., Jan. 3.—The body of Charles Shumacher, 35 years old, a farmer of Center township, Wood county, was found beneath his automobile about 10 this morning lying in a ditch about half a mile from his home. Shumacher was returning last night from a visit to Toledo. His automobile skidded, completely turning over. There was a great deal of water in the ditch and it is believed Shumacher's death was caused by drowning.

MOTIONS TO QUASH
INDICTMENTS.

Batavia, O., Jan. 3.—Motions to quash indictments charging presentation of false vouchers for supplies, returned against William Glaser and William H. Brown, Cleveland county infirmity directors and Leonidas Fennema, former county engineer, were heard today and taken under advisement by Judge Baumhugh.

DEED FROM BLOOD POISONING.

St. Clairsville, O., Jan. 3.—Dr. W. Baker, for 17 years mayor of St. Clairsville, died today from blood poisoning. Several days ago he bruised his hand with a hammer and the wound became infected.

REMAINS OF REID
BROUGHT IN TODAY.

New York, Jan. 3.—Steaming slowly in a dense fog the British cruiser Natal, bearing the body of Whitelaw Reid, late United States ambassador to England, landed today at Sandy Hook shortly after 8 o'clock this morning. Accompanying her was a guard of honor from the United States battleships Florida and North Dakota and the destroyers Ross, Drayton, McCall and Paulding.

Rain and fog furnished a sombre setting to the arrival of the funeral ship. All flags in the city were lowered to half mast.

PASSING OF
JEFF DAVES

Leaves a Peculiar Political Situation in State of Arkansas.

SPECIAL PRIMARY WILL BE CALLED

To Select Successor for the Full Term Beginning March Fourth.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 3.—Definite arrangements for the funeral of the late United States Senator Jeff Davis had not been completed this morning but it is probable that the services will take place next Sunday and that his body will be placed in the family burial plot at Russellville.

Senator Davis died suddenly at 12:35 o'clock this morning of heart failure, the culmination of an attack of several months. However, his condition apparently was improving and yesterday he was at his office the greater part of the day.

The death of Senator Davis, on the eve of the ratification of his reelection by the legislature creates a peculiar political situation in Arkansas, and while an authoritative statement has not been made, it is possible a special primary will be called to select a successor for the full term beginning March 4, next. As an alternative, it is suggested that the legislature exercise power to name the new senator. Governor George W. Donaghy, who will retire from office January 15, and Congressman W. A. Odell had tentatively announced that they would be candidates for the United States senate two years hence to succeed James P. Clark.

DEMOCRATS
WILL CAUCUS

In Columbus Tomorrow to Approve Work of First Caucus.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE HAS BEEN RECEIVED

From Printer and Will be Read to the Assembly Monday.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Democratic members of the general assembly will caucus here tomorrow to approve the appointments made by committees selected two weeks ago at their first caucuses. In the house the caucus committee on retrenchment and employes will report. The senate caucus will hear the reports of an employes committee and a committee on committees.

Representative Charles L. Swain, of Cincinnati, caucus nominee or speaker of the house, will meet with members of that body here today to discuss committee appointments.

Governor Harmon's last annual message to the legislature was received from the printer today and will be read to both houses when the legislature convenes Monday. The message probably will be the first business to go before either body and probably will be read at noon, immediately following the formal opening of the session.

PASSENGERS COME
IN ON CUNARD.

Bona, Algeria, Jan. 3.—The Cunard liner Tyrus returned and brought into this port today 31 of the passengers and crew of the French mail steamer Saint Augustin, running between Marseilles and Algeria. The Saint Augustin foundered last night off the coast of the Tyrus and her crew and passengers were rescued in tow. No deaths as to how the accident occurred have been received.

MOONEY IS
CHAIRMAN
OF FINANCE

Senate Caucus Selects His List of Committee Chairmanships.

SENATOR MOONEY LANDS GOOD ONE.

Ability of the Senator From This District Recognized by Choice.

COMMITTEE IS TO REPORT TOMORROW.

Each of the Republicans in Senate Given Chairmanship.

Senator Greenland is Made Chairman of Temperance Committee.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Under the tentative plan of the caucus committee on committees which will report to the senate democratic caucus tomorrow, each of the seven republicans in the upper house will be given a chairmanship of a committee.

Senator Greenland, democrat, is slated for the chairmanship of the temperance committee, and Senator Weygant, democrat, for the chairmanship of the committee on manufactures and commerce. Each of these chairmanships is considered important because of the announced intentions of legislators to introduce important bills relating to liquor license and workmen's compensation.

The tentative plan of the caucus committee provides for the following democratic chairmanships:

Committee on Finance, Senator Mooney, banks, insurance, federal relations, Finnefrack; salaries, Hoppie, judiciary, Eriebohn; labor, Dolison, municipal affairs, Gregory, prisons, Greenland, public works, Seward, public utilities, Cahill; mines, Green, roads and highways, Hudson, rules, Green, initiative and referendum, Gregory, taxation, Green, agriculture, Cunningham; benevolent institutions, Hienkamp; county affairs, Wheeler; fish culture and game, Hermer; industrial schools, Cook; medical colleges and societies, Kiser; military, Holden; privileges and elections, Bernstein; public printing, Potting; sanitary laws, Cook; education, Lloyd, claims, Beckett.

Republicans slated for chairmanships are:

Drainage and irrigation, Wise, enrollment, McDermott, geological survey, Moome, library, Howard; soldiers and sailors' home, Gallagher; soldiers and sailors' orphans' home, Broadstone, state buildings, Beman. The temperance committee probably will be made up of Senators Cunningham, Seward, Dolison, Herper, Howard and Wise. The judiciary committee also considered an important committee at this session, probably will consist of Senators Dolison, Herper, Moore, Broadstone, Wise, Kiser, Seward, Jung, Hoppie, Wheeler, Lloyd and Gregory. Senators Haas, Hudson, Finnefrack, Lloyd, Green Cook and Eriebohn probably will constitute the membership of the finance committee.

The municipal affairs committee, which will be important because of the municipal home rule amendment to the constitution, probably will consist of the following senators:

Greenland, Lloyd, Hienkamp, Cahill, Haas, Hudson, Broadstone, and Moore.

AMERICAN WARSHIPS
FORM HONOR GUARD.

New York, Jan. 3.—The body of Whitelaw Reid, United States ambassador to England, was brought home today by the British cruiser Natal, conveyed by a guard of American warships. The funeral ship came slowly up the lower bay and harbor in a fog and dropped anchor in the Hudson off West Ninety-eighth street shortly before 1 o'clock. As she did so she fired a salute of 19 guns and broke out the union jack at her bow and the British naval ensign at her stern. High above them floated the stars and stripes at half mast on the railway.

The Florida returned the Natal's salute of 19 guns, and as did the other ships in the cortège, broke out the English ensign at her military mast.

The funeral services at the cathedral tomorrow will be attended by President Taft, Secretary Knox and James Bryce, the British ambassador, among others.

ITALY PLACED ORDER
FOR AMERICAN COAL

Cardiff, Wales, Jan. 3.—Italy has now followed the lead of the Egyptian railways and has placed an order for 200,000 tons of coal in America, while she also has invited tenders for a large quantity, from the Yorkshire mines.

Italy is the best customer of Wales. She has her own coal depot at Cardiff and has hitherto taken 2,000,000 tons of coal a year from this port. The high prices demanded for Welsh coal at the present moment is given as the reason for the orders being transferred to America.

MENTALLY
DISTURBED

She Had Wandered Away From Her Home in Toledo.

DIED UNKNOWN AND ALONE IN DENVER.

Body Was Identified by Her Father-in-Law at Rooming House.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 3.—Adam E. Kline arrived here yesterday from Toledo, O., and identified the body of Mrs. R. E. Kline, who was found dead in a rooming house in Denver, Tuesday, as that of his daughter-in-law, who he said, had wandered from her home in an unbalanced mental condition, December 4.

At a rooming house he found his seven-year-old grand daughter, Mary Margaret Kline, who discovered her mother's body after her mysterious death.

Kline said he knows nothing of James McClain, with whom Mrs. Kline had been staying in Denver, but accounted for his daughter-in-law's action by stating that she was temporarily insane.

The police have not been able to find McClain.

TERRIFIED
BY FLAMES

The Maniacs and Lunatics Rushed Wildly From the Asylum.

SOME VIOLENT ONES ATTACKED PEOPLE.

One Person Was Killed and Nine Others Seriously Injured.

Elvas, Portugal, Jan. 3.—One person was killed and nine others seriously injured this morning by a group of five terrified maniacs who had been released by fire from an insane asylum in the outskirts of this city which had caught fire.

Altogether 35 lunatics were set free and these rushed howling through the streets, for some time. Thirty of them, however, were really gathered together and confined in the municipal building, but the other five secured some iron rods from a scrap heap and attacked everyone they met. Several hours passed before they were overpowered.

SEVEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION.

Capetown, Jan. 3.—Seven men were killed and several others fatally injured by an explosion this morning at the Debers dynamite works in the town of Somerset.

CLEVELAND IS IN
HANDS OF BLIZZARD.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 3.—The fierce blizzard that swept down upon Cleveland and northern Ohio today brought death to at least one person here. Richard Mills, a brakeman on the Newburg and South Shore railroad, was blown from the top of a freight car and instantly killed.

The storm did considerable damage and delayed street and car traffic.

TAFT WILL NOT
NAME GOETHALS.

Washington, Jan. 3.—President Taft today definitely told Senator Brandegee, of Connecticut, chairman of the inter-ocean canal committee that he would not send to the senate the nomination of Colonel George W. Goethals as civil governor of the Panama canal zone, because of the opposition by democratic senators to his appointment.

CELEBRATING BIRTH
OF ISAAC PITMAN.

New York, Jan. 3.—Stenographers throughout the country today observed the centenary of the birth of Sir Isaac Pitman, inventor of modern shorthand. There were commemorative exercises in public schools, colleges and other institutions here, and similar exercises were held simultaneously in England, under the auspices of the lord mayor of London.

Sir Isaac Pitman was born in Bath, England, in 1813, and in 1894 was knighted by Queen Victoria for his work in shorthand and phonetics. He died in 1897. His system of shorthand forms the basis of most modern systems.

RAILROAD MAN DIES SUDDENLY.

New York, Jan. 3.—Reswell Miller, chairman of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad Company, died suddenly here today.

TERRIFIC GALE ON
ATLANTIC COAST.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 3.—A terrific gale with heavy rain whirled the Atlantic coast here today with terrific violence, downing wires and demolishing shipping. Several small craft are sunk with loss of life.

APPELLATE JUDGES
ARE MEETING TODAY.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Judges of the new appellate court which came into existence the first of the year as a result of the new constitution which was ratified by the people last September, met here today for the purpose of adopting rules and regulations which were drafted some time ago.

MARVELOUS
PREDICTION

Made by Dr. Alexis Carral of the Rockefeller Institute.

BROKEN BONE HEALED WITHIN FIVE DAYS.

Cutaneous Wounds Completely Healed in 24 Hours.

New York, Jan. 3.—Possibility that the year 1913 will see the marvel of broken bones repaired for use within four days and wounds healed within one day, is forecast by Dr. Alexis Carral of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, whose success last year won him the Nobel prize for medicine. Dr. Carral is now in Europe about to return to his work after having been to Stockholm to receive the Nobel prize. The announcement of his marvelous predictions appear in the current issue of the official organ of the Rockefeller Institute.

While it now requires sometimes months for the repair of a broken arm or leg, and often weeks for the healing of a cutaneous wound, Dr. Carral believes that these healing processes can be accelerated wonderfully by the growth of connective tissue by artificial means. He discloses that he has been conducting experiments to this end since 1907.

Aided by knowledge that growth of the body is dependent in many respects on the more or less mysterious activities of some of the ductless glands—the thyroid for instance—he applied a mixture of thyroid extract and macerated portions of other organs of the body to cutaneous wounds. He found the experiments to bear out his belief that if the rate of the reparation of tissues were activated ten times only, a cutaneous wound would heal in less than 24 hours, and a fracture of the leg would be cured in four or five days.

Continuing the more radical experiments on live animals with the use of an extract from the embryonic thymus, he found this increased the growth forty times.

JUMPED OVERBOARD
AND WAS DROWNED.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Representative William W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who suddenly went insane at Colon, Panama, at the time of President Taft's recent visit to the isthmus, jumped overboard last night from a ship on which he had been taken to Colon. His body had not been recovered last night.

INFANT CHILD IS
FATALLY BURNED.

Toledo, O., Jan. 3.—John Oprie, six months old, was burned to death and his brothers, Louis, aged five years, and Joseph, three, were probably fatally burned this afternoon when the Oprie cottage was destroyed by fire. The mother, Mrs. Louis Oprie, had gone to a neighbor's for well water and had locked the children in their home during her absence of 20 minutes.

EXECUTION
OF SENTENCE
SUSPENDED

Writ of Supersedeas Granted the Dynamite Conspirators.

ISSUED BY THE U. S. COURT OF APPEALS.

Ball Based on Number of Years Named in Sentence.

TEN THOUSAND FOR EACH YEAR.

President Ryan's Bond Would Reach Seventy Thousand.

The Defense Lawyers Claim There is Money Enough to Free Them All.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—A writ of supersedeas, staying execution of the sentences imposed on the dynamite conspirators recently convicted at Indianapolis, was issued by the United States circuit court of appeals here today. Ball was based on the number of years which the prisoners have been sentenced to serve—\$10,000 for each year.

Defense lawyers stated that money enough to admit all to bail would be forthcoming.

Thus Ryan's bail was fixed at \$70,000. Those who received sentences of six years must furnish \$60,000; four years \$40,000, and so on down to \$10,000 for the one year sentences. According to defense lawyers, the court, Judges Sedgwick and Baker sitting, seemed most impressed by the extrajudicial feature of the arguments presented this forenoon.

SANDLES ARRANGING
ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Secretary A. P. Sandles and officials of the state board of agriculture, today are arranging the program for the annual meeting of the agricultural board which will be held here January 14, 15 and 16. Several national speakers are expected to be present. The sessions will be devoted to business.

SUFFERING FROM
BULLET WOUND.

Dayton, O., Jan. 3.—William A. Kruso, 23, a butcher, is in a critical condition at the Miami Valley hospital today suffering from a bullet wound in his right breast inflicted by himself at his home last night. He has a wife and a six months old baby. No cause for the shooting is known.

EFFORT MADE
FOR FREEDOM

Of the Convicted Dynamiters Now Serving at Leavenworth.

STAY OF EXECUTION OF THE SENTENCE

Is Asked for by the Counsel of the Thirty-two Prisoners.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—An attempt to free 32 of the 33 dynamiters convicted at Indianapolis on bail pending an appeal of their case, was made here today in the United States circuit court of appeals, Judge Baker, Seaman and Kohlsaat sitting. Herbert S. Hockin will not appeal.

The convicted labor leaders through their counsel, E. N. Solheim and P. H. O'Donnell, of Chicago, Milton Harding, of Indianapolis, and Chester E. Kram, of St. Louis, appeared to argue for a writ of supersedeas to stay the execution of the sentence inflicted by the United States district court and for the admission to bail of the prisoners, pending further action by the court of appeals.

Big Reduction
On All
and FUR GARMENTS

THE BIG STORE
THE NEWSON-AWISHER
COMPANY

Ladies' Waists, Skirts, Sweaters
Bath Robes and Kimonos
Reduced 25 per cent and Over

True to its established policy of never carrying merchandise from one season to another, and with the resolute purpose of clearing from its shelves every thread and fibre of overstocks, broken and discontinued lines, slow sellers, etc., The Big Store will on SATURDAY, JANUARY 4th, at 8 a. m. inaugurate the most important, impressive and imperative bargain event in its history in a

JANUARY MARKDOWN SALE

Sensational Reductions On Seasonable Merchandise

shall be the slogan for this epoch-making sale. BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS! shall fairly shout and wave their arms at you from every nook and cranny of the store. Profits shall be sacrificed; actual cost ignored; while economy and boundless money-saving shall reign triumphant. THE SUPREME MONEY-SAVING EVENT OF A DECADE invites your participation. Those who come first will reap the choicest bargains.

Ladies' Neckwear at One-Half Price.

Our entire stock of Ladies' Neckwear including fancy collars, ties, jabots, knots, plaques, bows, etc., the latest and smartest novelties of the season, all go at

1/2 Price

Leather Hand Bags, One-Fourth Off.

Our complete line of Leather Hand Bags, including all the newest fads, handsomely lined and mounted, values \$1.00 up to \$18.00, all now go at

1/4 Off

Embroideries at One-Half Price.

In St. Gall. English eyelet scroll effect and imitation Irish patterns widths 3 to 27 inches and 10c to \$1.50 values all marked down to

1/2 Price

\$6.00 Wool Blankets at \$3.98.

A belated shipment received last week, too late for December selling, fancy plaids in blue, tan, black and grey; regular \$6.00 values included in JANUARY MARKDOWN SALE at

\$3.98

Blankets and Comforts 1/4 Off Regular Price.

Bed blankets, Comforts, Indian Blankets, Bath Robe Blankets, Couch and Baby Blankets, regular prices \$2 to \$3—take your choice at

1/4 Off

\$1.50 American Lady Corsets 98c.

High and low bust models in outline, long skirt effect, four heavy hose supporters attached, skirt back; embroidered banding and satin bow for trimming, drawing at bust; in every particular a regular \$1.50 corset.

Sale Price 98c

98c Sorosis Corsets 69c.

Medium bust, long hip, coutille, four heavy hose supporters attached, lace trimmed. Also all our discarded models in \$1.00 makes.

Sale Price 69c

Handsomeness Dress Goods at Dwindled Prices

\$1.25 Silk Poplins in navy, garnet, king's blue and purple, 42 in. wide. Sale

75c

\$1.50 Colored Silk Poplins, 42 in. wide, fashionable shades. Sale

98c

50c Fancy Tweed Suits, 36 in. wide, just ten pieces to choose from. While they last. Sale

33c

50c Challies in small floral and striped designs, 27 in. wide. Sale

35c

75c All Wool Dress Goods in the season's most authentic styles, 35 and 45 in. wide. Sale

49c

\$1.00 Dress Goods, comprising batistes, panamas, serges etc., 42 to 54 inch widths. Sale

59c

\$1.25 to \$1.50 Dress Goods, Suits and Cloakings, wide range of favorite colors, 44 to 58 in. wide. Sale

79c

Radical Silk Reductions

50c Charmeuse Wash Silks, 27 in. wide, in beautiful shades of brown, blue, pink, green, beige and red. Sale Price

35c

50c Fancy Wash Silks, 1,000 yards in a good assortment of fashionable shades, 27 to 36 in. wide. Sale Price

25c

Satin Foulards, a few handsome pieces in navy, green and heliotrope, 21 in. wide. Sale Price

25c

\$1.00 Fancy Waistings and Suiting Silks, 24 and 26 in. wide, in all the new colorings. Sale Price

69c

\$1.00 Messaline Silks, large assortment of colors, 36 in. wide. Sale Price

79c

\$1.75 Crepe Mercer black and wanted colors, 40 in. wide, extra good value. Sale Price

\$1.39

\$1.75 Satin Charmeuse in street and evening shades, 40 in. wide. Sale Price

\$1.29

\$2.00 Satin Charmeuse in brown, black and navy only, 40 in. wide. Sale Price

\$1.49

\$1.00 Black Messaline Silk, rich lustrous quality, 36 in. wide. Sale Price

75c

\$1.50 Black Silk Diagonal, 36 in. wide, extra special value. Sale Price

98c

\$1.00 Crepe de Chine, in black, cream, green, navy and old rose, 24 in. wide. Sale Price

59c

75c Corduroy Velvets in brown, wine, gray and cream, 28 in. wide. Sale Price

45c

10c DISCOUNT ON ALL BLACK SILKS

Ginghams At Decided underprices

10c Ginghams 7c.

5,000 yards 10c Dress Ginghams, fast colors and attractive patterns, a splendid opportunity to secure your spring wardrobe at a big reduction. Sale Price

7c

12 1/2c Dress Ginghams 9c.

5,000 yards 12 1/2c Dress Ginghams in fancy dress and waist styles, attractive color effects, fast dye and finish. Sale Price

9c

15c Ginghams 10c.

12 in. Dress Ginghams, a splendid assortment of the best all-around quality, regular 15c value. Sale Price

10c

The Men May Share in These GOLDEN ECONOMIES

\$1.00 Union Suits, elastic ribbed, medium weight, silver grey. Sale Price

79c

\$1.25 Monarch Spring Needle Union Suits in ecru and silver grey. Sale Price

98c

Men's Shirts, coat style, cuffs attached, fine stripes and neat figures. Sale Price

89c

25c Silk Lisle Hose, black and all wanted colors; reinforced heel and toe. Sale Price

15c

50c Silk Hose, black, tan and wanted colors, double heel and toe. Sale Price

\$1.00

50c Silk Neckwear in plain colors, Persian patterns and fancy novelty stripes. Sale Price

29c

\$2.00 Capris in white flannel, neatly trimmed. Sale Price

\$1.49

70c Suspenders, leather ends, silk lisle webbing, fancy effects. Sale Price

44c

50c Pure Silk Handkerchiefs, fancy colored borders and figured effects. Sale Price

\$1.00

\$1.75 Sweater Coats, heavy quality of wool, neatly trimmed. Sale Price

98c

\$1.25 Boys' Jersey Sweaters in grey, maroon and navy, sizes 7 to 11. Sale Price

98c

Fancy Wool Gloves in black and fancy mixtures. Sale Price

39c

Trays, House Waists, celebrated K & E Brand fancy stripes and figures. Sale Price

39c

Underwear Comes Under the Price-Knife

35c Misses Union Suits

19c

25c Children's Sleepers

19c

25c Women's Shirts and Drawers, each

19c

25c Boys' Shirts and Drawers, each

19c

25c Children's Vests and Pants, each

19c

Special Mark Down Prices on all Wool Underwear, \$1.50 to \$3.00 qualities.

50c Women's Vests and Pants, each

44c

50c Women's Union Suits

44c

\$1.00 Women's Vests and Pants

79c

\$1.00 Women's Union Suits

79c

\$1.25 Women's Union Suits

98c

Cut Prices In Hosiery for Women and Children

15c Women's and Children's Hosiery

11c

25c Women's and Children's Hosiery

22c

35c Women's and Children's Hosiery

29c

50c Women's Silk Cotton or Lisle Hose

44c

75c Women's Silk, Cotton or Lisle Hose

50c

\$1.00 Women's Silk, Cotton or Lisle Hose

79c

Bargain Basement Specials for the Mark Down Sale

20c Robeland Fleece suitable for house jackets, kimonos or bath robes, in stripes or fancy figures. Sale Price

15c

15c Robeland Fleece in Persian patterns and novelty borders, all desirable light or dark colored effects

10c

9c White Outing Flannel, 3/4 yard wide, good medium weight

7c

25c Men's Canvas Gloves with gauntlet top or elastic wrist band; Sale Price

25c

50c Men's Work Shirts in blue chambray, all wanted sizes. Sale Price

39c

\$1.00 Men's Blue Flannel Shirts, well made; pocket Sale Price

89c

Special Values at the Remnant Counter during the continuance of the January Mark Down Sale.

Sweeping Reductions in Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments

The Greatest Clearance Sale of Women's and Misses' Coats, Suits and Dresses in The Big Store's History

The Coats Are the BEST STYLES

Among the SUITS

Stylish DRESSES

Excellent tailored, made of splendid materials, and may be had in three-quarter lengths; mixtures and two-faced materials; Velvet or convertible collars, full length chinchillas and boucles, polo dots, blanket and broadcloths, velours, velvets and many other stylish materials, either tailored or dressy effects.

Are smart tailor-made styles, in diagonals, wales, mixtures and serges, cutaways, set and strictly tailored novelties, whipcords, mannish mixtures and chevrons, colored cutaway, Norfolk and dressy effects.

Comprising silk, charmeuse, corduroy and serge costumes trimmed in lace, velvet, ap pliques and satin pipings; every gown a model of good style and careful workmanship.

Women's and Misses' \$12 Coats reduced to **\$5.95**

Women's and Misses' \$15 Suits reduced to **\$4.95**

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SPENCERVILLE.

Mrs. (Dr.) Gamble, of south Main street was hostess for a number of young ladies at a party held Tuesday afternoon at her home in honor of Miss Bess Jenkins, of Celina.

About fifty couples saw the old year out and welcomed in the glad

new year, at the regular dance held Tuesday evening at the K. of F. hall. Miss Opal Price, who is attending the Miami University at Oxford, is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. Kennedy.

On Tuesday evening Miss Meina Schrickler very delightfully entertained a number of her friends at a watch party.

Miss Eunice Berry and Miss Golia Att spent Tuesday in Lima, guests of Miss Nell Wein.

Miss Ethel Lucas has gone to Oxford to spend the holidays with her parents.

The following Spencerville boys, who have been attending school at O. S. U., are spending their Christmas vacation at home: Charles and Jack Griffin, George Lies, George Schuster and Dexter Lutz.

Miss Mary Hart is visiting her parents in Cincinnati.

Karl Pohlman and Grover Crites are at home from Dedance where they are attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Goodwin and children, of Angola, Ind., have been visiting the past week with Spencerville relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. M. Ashton and children have returned home from Lima, after a week's visit with Miss Clara Ashton.

Miss Nellie Wein, of Lima spent Wednesday with friends at Spencerville.

The Christmas entertainment was well attended at Union Chapel last Wednesday evening.

The schools of Bath township were closed New Year's day.

UNION CHAPEL.

Lewis Fetter has gone to Michigan to visit his relatives.

Miss Ethel Ward spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. D. E. Fetter.

Lee Thayer, of Arizona, preached at Union, Sunday evening.

Miss Kathryn Fetter took dinner

at D. E. Fetter's.

Clarence Fetter butchered Thursday.

Miss Mabel Sproul has gone to Columbus to spend a few days.

Misses Elsie and Coraella Uphal, of Wapakoneta, O., is spending a few days with Ed Nelson and family.

The surprise farewell party given Mr. and Mrs. Seisler was very well attended by the neighbors.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight except snow near Lake Erie; colder in north and east portions; Saturday fair.

1912 was a good year even if the figures in it do add up to 13.

Now that the holidays are approaching an end we will prepare again for a safe and sane Fourth of July.

Billy Sunday, realizing that he had undertaken a herculean job in converting the sinners of Columbus has sent out for help to aid him in his job. And he will probably need it.

The recent sales of real estate in the business district of Lima are indicative that our people are realizing that no better investment of money can be made than in business property in the best inland city in Ohio.

The inconsistency of people poses all understanding. While Billy Sunday was putting forth his utmost efforts in his tabernacle to show Columbus the evils of their ways some unregenerate on the outside stole an automobile belonging to some of the people who were in the inside endeavoring to absorb the elements of good that were being disseminated by the evangelist. They really do strange things in Columbus.

THE YEAR IN BUSINESS.

When the curtain rang down on the nation's business for the year 1912 it brought to a close what is generally regarded as the most prosperous year the country has experienced since it established itself as a competitor in world business. Records tell of but few years in which

all forces, including nature, combined to better man's efforts toward prosperity. Since the beginning of the last quarter of the year a business, which, by the way, was the best of all estimates of trade, have been compiled with the close of the month of December the totals of foreign and domestic business in kind to totals never reached in the past.

In the year 1912 the farmer had the best landing he ever experienced. Valuation of farm products alone this season runs into the billions. Weather, so far it subject to man's order, could not have been designed to better advantage. The success in growing things runs not alone with the industry of the tiller of the soil. Without moisture and sunshine the earth would fail to produce, and in 1912 these elements acted in combination with the farmer to better his position. The only item the farmer need be assumed of is that he did not devote as much time as he should to raising cattle for marketing.

Labor was perhaps more uniformly employed in 1912 than in any immediate preceding year. Labor disturbances appeared, but the bulk of the greatest industrial plants worked near the capacity point, and especially in the closing months of the year. Records show that there were upward of 1,000,000 "hard hands" alone in service parts of the year. The gigantic steel, iron and other ore plants closed the year with enough orders of the "spindle" to keep their present forces engaged for half of 1913; if no new business comes in. And these institutions are a pretty thorough index to general trade conditions, for they are most sensitive to the obstacles that curtail business.

In the last two months of the twelve investment buying in the principal centers of the world showed weakening tendencies, money tightened, but this was no particular barrier to business. The country emerged from a quadrilateral condition with commerce unimpaired, being the first political contest of such great significance in which credits did not suffer, buying half and labor lost weeks or months of employment. The unfinished war against certain powerful trusts acted as no handicap to general business. Conditions look bright for 1913. The beginning is indeed more auspicious than the beginning of 1912. Savings of the working class are greater, the cost of necessities is almost unchanged, and there is much money throughout the land because the hand has netted its annual yield.—Muncie Star.

Marion has aroused herself and organized a boosting club which includes all the business men of that city, whose purpose is to make that enterprising city one of the good. Here is a suggestion for Lima.

THE VOTE OF 1912.

The impression has been given out that the total vote cast at the Presidential election this year was

lighter than in preceding elections. The final analysis of the votes cast do not verify this conclusion. The respective rank of the three leading candidates, in their proportion of the popular vote, is not materially changed from the showing in unofficial returns; but the idea that there was a material falling off in the total vote proves to have been unfounded.

As a matter of fact, the vote of last November exceeded the vote of 1908 by about 150,000. Taking into consideration the addition to the voting population since 1908 of Arizona and New Mexico, and of the women voters of California and Washington, there was a falling off of some 350,000 from the vote that was to be expected, while the increase due to growth of population should, if the vote had been as full as in 1908, have been a half million.

Still, the fact remains that the vote of 1912 is in actual numbers more than in 1908, and the highest aggregate vote ever cast in this country. It is peculiar, however, that it is but about 7 per cent greater than the vote of 1896, with several states and a lot of women votes added, while the population of the country has increased about 35 per cent.

PERRY UNION.

Next Sunday there will be Sunday school at 9:30 p. m., preaching services at 10:30, and Christian Endeavor. As it will be reorganization night everybody is requested to be present.

Quite a good many in this vicinity are attending revival meeting at Perry Chapel.

Mr. Bernard Zeltz of this vicinity was the guest of Mr. Mitty and Luther Boshier of Lima Sunday.

Friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Meeks, and gave the youngest son, Weston, an old fashioned belling. He was recently married, and with his bride resides in Lima.

Mrs. S. F. Meeks of Lima was a Sunday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Speer.

Mr. F. M. Nance was in Cridersville on business Wednesday.

Miss Norma Ditzler spent Sunday with Miss Ethel Zeltz.

Mrs. W. R. Meeks and daughter Belle were in Lima Thursday.

Mrs. H. E. Ullice and children spent New Year's day with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Nance.

PUBLIC SALE.

Having sold my farm, I will sell on Wednesday, January 8th, my horses, milk cows, hay, grain, wagons and all kinds of farming implements. Located 5 1/2 miles northwest of Lima, 1 1/2 miles east of Elida. M. E. Judds of Elida to serve dinner.

CHARLES STALTER.

WESTMINSTER.

The people of this place are so very busy talking over the holiday pleasures and their enjoyments, which makes it very difficult to obtain the current events. The first question is, "Where did you spend your holidays?" And what did you get for a present? We spent our time for a present? We spent our time and we received more than we gave, and we thank you for that.

The farmers and townspeople are doing quite a lot of butchering just at present, and we get the best country sausages at ten cents per pound, and spare ribs and backbones very reasonable.

THREE BIG SHOE SPECIALS at \$1.19

Boys' Shoes
of good box calf skin and solid leather counters, boxes and inner soles, blucher lace, sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Worth \$1.75 and \$2.00

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of heavy calf skin for rough service, solid leather throughout, plain toes or tipped, all sizes; worth \$1.75 and \$2.00

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of extra quality throughout, button patterns and newest styles; heavy goat skin and patent tip; sizes, 11 1/2 to 2; worth \$1.75 and \$2.00

WOMEN'S RUBBERS—(Progress Brand) 50c

THE NEWSON-ARWISHER COMPANY

MAIN FLOOR

The sale of the household goods of Mrs. Mary Shade were sold at public auction, at her late residence here, last Saturday p. m. The crowd was large and very quiet. The sale was the accumulation of more than sixty years, and was very promiscuous, and all had been well cared for and was in good condition, and brought a fair price. While the children were sad, over their mother's work and savings being sold at public auction, they bid in the greater part and realized it was for the best under the circumstances.

The sudden death of Aunt Jane Heffner occurred at her home in Perry township, Allen county, last Thursday morning, December 26. Mrs. Heffner had reached the unusual length of years in this life, having passed her 82nd year. The good life she lived was one long to be remembered by all who knew her. Interment in Ward cemetery near Westminster. Rev. Creamer officiated at the services at Cherry Grove Sunday. W. H. Tabler, funeral director.

Professor Weaver and family have returned home after spending their vacation with friends in Beaverdam. Mrs. Lizzie Shade Spacht of Harrod came over Friday to attend the sale of her mother's household goods.

Charley Morrison is nursing a very sore hand just now.

W. D. Loy and wife went to West Liberty last Sunday to attend a mid-holiday reunion at the home of Mrs. Loy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Russell.

Mr. W. W. Creps, one of our good old citizens, is lying very low with heart disease at this time. Little hope of his recovery is felt by those in attendance. Mrs. Creps, wife of W. W. Creps is very sick also. She is unable to leave her bed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tabler entertained Mr. J. W. Rudy of Winterset, Iowa, Mrs. Alice Clevenger and N. A. Ashing of this village to a fine New Year's dinner, January 1, 1913. The little twins of Mr. and Mrs. Car. Stevenson had many callers on the first day of the year, 1913.

Mrs. Lewis Miller and daughter and granddaughter of Lima called to see her brother and wife, parents of the little babies New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hultbarger have the thanks for the good gifts presented to writer on New Year's Day.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

SCOTT'S CROSSING.

Wish one and all a prosperous and happy new year.

Tom Fleming, of Newark, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming.

Miss Anna Bell Ford, of Dayton, was an over-Thursday guest of Miss Grace Scott.

Mrs. Fred Stahl, of Cincinnati, returned home last Friday.

Tobias Luttrell was at Lima, Monday, on business.

School opened again Thursday after a week's vacation.

Miss Helen Robinson, of Lima, is here, a guest of her grand mother, Mrs. Catherine Fosnacht.

Mr. and Mrs. David Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Belts and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cramer and children, Mrs. Hattie Levering and son, the latter from Detroit, Mich., were guests of John and Fred Whitsett, Saturday evening.

Rev. Penrose Red, who is a student in the Otterbein College, at Westerville, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Red, of near Scott's Crossing, and will preach at Morris Chapel, Saturday evening.

The following persons gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Scott, Saturday evening, to surprise Mr. Scott and remind him that it was his birthday. James Aluer, Harry and Amos Foust, Irvin Phillips, Warren Ford, Ous Stauders, Earl Lips, Walter Bryan, Dan Ridenour and S. P. Stuckey. A pleasant, sojourn and jolly time was enjoyed by all. One of the most enjoyable features of the evening was the supper served by Mrs. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pottler were guests of Mrs. Pottler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shmaberry, New Year's.

Mrs. Lena Foust is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. R. W. of Lima.

Miss Audrey Foust, of Lima, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Foust.

Golconda Diamond Demonstration

Will remain for a few days longer. The different designs of jewelry on sale here, set with the beautiful Golconda diamonds, direct from the manufacturer, must be seen to be appreciated. They are the nearest approach to the real diamond in appearance, and are worn with them without detection. Those who anticipate purchasing will have to do so soon. Specialists for Friday and Saturday.

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| \$2.50 Tiffany Rings | \$2.00 |
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Nile Ford, of Columbus, was here over Sunday a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ford.

Scott, Carl and Walter Makins, of Lima, were guests at Grant Scott's, New Year's.

Ruth Pfeiffer is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ford this week.

Misses Dorothy Peltier, Vesta Scott, Louisa and Breta Foust visited the Riverside school, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Irene Alder returned home Wednesday, after a pleasant visit in Delphos, with friends and relatives.

Mrs. David Myers is on the sick list.

Preaching at Morris Chapel, Sunday morning, immediately after Sunday school.

William Fleming is on the sick list.

Mrs. Josie Foust and daughter, Myrtle, of Delphos, were guests of Clarence Foust and wife, New Year's.

Mrs. J. M. Cochran and daughter, Mrs. Jesse Myers, of Needmore, who have been visiting Dr. Ernest East and family, of Amsterdam, came home Tuesday.

U. M. Cochran was a business visitor in Lima, Wednesday.

Earl Scott was at Lima, Thursday, on business.

Leroy, Leila and family, of the Ridge, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Downing, New Year's.

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WANTED—Salesladies and men. Apply at once, Leon Lovelstein, Public Square.

WANTED—Men to learn bar trade by our new method of practice. Hundreds of graduates depending upon us for early few weeks' qualifcations. While learning. Tools given. Write today. Moler Barber College. Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—Two gentlemen to and board. Furnace heat, electric lights, use of phone, vate sitting room. Terms reasonable. Call New phone 1238-A.

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WANTED—Rollers, bunch-brakes and Strippers. Also beginners learn the trade. Good wages, constant employment. Apply either factory. The Daniel-Walker Company. Jan 20-11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five-room house Snyder stop on W. O. Also dining and lot with blacksmith shop. Will also sell shop. Also general store, doing about \$1000 business a year. Must go before March 1st. Address care of Times-Democrat. 20

FOR SALE—My residence property at 871 West Market street. 1 1/2 lots, 9 rooms aside from laundry, linen room, alcoves, a bath. Toilet in stairs and down. Full basement. All modern. E. J. Eason, W. Price. Jan 20-11

FOR SALE—Household goods, good condition, dining room table, sideboard, dresser, commode, st. Mary cot, iron bed, child's bed, cook stove, and other small articles. Owner will be out of city for some time and does not care to store goods. Inquire 1137 West High street. 113

FOR SALE—A No. 1 good team, brown, weight 2,600 pounds, 8 and 9 years old, fast worker and endless pullers. No blemishes, high headed and straight ears. Any child can handle them. Work single or double. Need no inquire unless good team is wanted. Also large grey draft mare guaranteed to work any place hitched. Perfectly sound and safe for any one. Prices on good property reasonable. Call at 2 N. Collett or phone 2279-A, after 6 p. m. 213

FOR SALE—3 gas stoves in good condition. Call at 126 N. West street. Nov. 1-

FOR SALE CHEAP—One combination billiard and pool table, good as new. Will sell on easy payments if desired. Wm. F. Hoover 233 South Main street. 1

FOR SALE—20 new houses at Bungalow in all parts of Lima. Prices \$1,000 to \$5,000. Cash or easy terms. If you want to buy a home, see us. Phone 96. New phone 1881 Home Buidler Holland Bldg. aug 27-11

MEN—WOMEN—Get government jobs. \$20.00 a week. Write immediately for list of positions open. Franklin Institute, Dep 216 W. Rochester, N. Y. Nov-2.

FOR RENT

LOST

LOST—Thursday, on West Way street, between McDonald street and Lima College, a purse containing eight dollars in currency and some small change; six tea spoon a push can and street car ticket. Finder please leave at Times Democrat office and receive reward.

LOST—A five dollar bill either R. T. Gregg & Co. or the 5 and 10-cent store this morning. Finder please return to The Times Democrat office and receive reward. 11

MISCELLANEOUS

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CASES MUST BE BRIEFER

Only Gist of Testimony Can be Considered in the Higher Court.

CHITTENDEN FILED HIS BRIEFS TODAY.

Would Compel Governor to Issue His Commission. A Test Case.

Columbus, Ohio, January 3.—A new code of procedure, made necessary by the changes effected in the judiciary by the new constitution, was adopted by the circuit judges for the new courts of appeals, at a meeting held in the supreme court today.

The most important of the rules adopted is one providing for abbreviated bills of exceptions. This is designed to expedite litigation materially. Under this rule, these bills will be boiled down to the bone so as to contain only the testimony which is important.

This will obviate the necessity upon the part of the reviewing courts to wade through a mass of unimportant, useless testimony which in no wise goes to the merits of the litigation. It will also reduce considerably the expense which heretofore has been attached to the carrying up of cases.

There are 24 circuit judges in the state and 13, a majority, were present to act upon the new rules. The rules were prepared by a joint committee of circuit judges and members of the State Bar Association. Judge Louis H. Winch, of Cleveland, who was chief justice last year presided over the meetings of the joint committee.

The thirteen judges present were: Louis H. Winch, Cleveland; Edward H. Jones, Hamilton; Charles W. Dustin, Dayton; James I. Allread, Greenville; H. L. Fernandez, Dayton; Michael Donnelly, Napoleon; Phil M. Crow, Kenton; Thomas A. Jones, Jackson; E. D. Sayers, Athens; Reynolds R. Kinkade, Toledo; Silas R. Richards, Clyde; John Pollock, St. Clairsville and Myron A. Norris, Youngstown.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Briefs were filed today in the supreme court by attorneys for the plaintiff in the suit brought by Circuit Judge-elect Charles E. Chittenden of Toledo, to compel Governor Harmon to issue a commission to him. Stripped of technical legal verbiage, the arguments in the briefs are to the effect that it was the purpose of the people that the circuit judges elected in November should serve as judges of the court of appeals.

George B. Okey of Columbus, as counsel for Governor Harmon, who, in order to afford opportunity for the bringing of a test suit, refused to issue the commission, will file his brief Saturday. He will argue that the newly elected circuit judges cannot sit as judges of the courts of appeals and that the circuit judges whose terms expire February 9th, will hold over as judges of the new courts until their successors can be elected and qualified.

The validity of the election by which the constitutional amendments were adopted in September, will not be questioned in the suit.

AND FINALLY COMES DEATH

Aged Resident of Allen County Answered Call This Morning.

MRS. NAOMA REAM GONE TO REWARD.

Has Spent Her Entire Life Within Confines of This County.

To all mortality there is a beginning and an end, an alpha and an omega. As to every day there is a dawn and a sunset, so to every life there is a birth and eventually a death. To no man is it privileged to know when there shall be an end to life, to be allowed to anticipate with definiteness and surely the time of the last calling, or to say, on this day shall I be called home by the hand of the Lord, for it is the time of my natural death.

When the angel of death does come, removing from the dust of family and friends one held dear, though the inevitability of the call be ever so clearly realized, the sorrow is none the more consolable. At 8 o'clock this morning the call was heard in one of the south Lima homes, and the pall of death now shrouds a mourning family. Mrs. Naoma Ream, the wife of Daniel Ream, passed to her reward.

Mrs. Ream was born in Perry township, and throughout her entire life has been a resident of this county. She was born on the sixteenth day of June, 1845, being at the time of her death 68 years, 7 months and 17 days of age. For

the past two years Mrs. Ream has been an invalid, of late being a sufferer from a dropsical ailment, aggravated by heart trouble. It was a combination of these two things which caused her death this morning.

She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Hoffman, of 111 west Vine street. She leaves on this earth mourning her loss her husband, the daughter, Mrs. Hoffman, at whose home she died, and another daughter, Mrs. Earnest Stanton, of Akron, Ohio. She was married to Mr. Ream in 1865. There have been no funeral arrangements made at this time.

POP CORN STAND MOVED

Property Owners Made Complaint of Location of Wagon.

ORDERS ISSUED TO THE OWNER

To Remove Stand Off Sidewalk by Chief Mack Yesterday.

Upon the complaint of adjoining property owners, Mayor Shook compelled Alfred Kirkpatrick, owner of a pop corn and peanut stand on east Market street, to remove his stand from the sidewalk into the Satterthwaite building yesterday afternoon.

Kirkpatrick has stationed his wagon on the sidewalk in front of the Satterthwaite property, the rear of the stand forming an enclosure for the front of the building. The lot was formerly the site of an old frame building occupied by Charles Priestap, the shoe repairer, which was ordered razed by the deputy state fire marshal.

The pop corn and peanut vender, who also owns a similar stand in front of the Opera House block on east High street, secured a lease on the property, and constructed a roof extending to the adjoining walls, thus giving him an enclosed room in front of which he placed his stand.

After complaint had been made to the mayor, he notified Fire Chief Mack, who held that the location of the wagon was in violation of the city ordinance. Kirkpatrick was then ordered to remove his wagon from the sidewalk, and it now stands within the enclosed room, the front of it serving as a front to the building.

ENTERS PLEA FOR DIVORCE

Claiming Herself and Baby Were Not Provided Support

BY DEFENDANT, CHAS. F. GARY

Etta Hinkle Brings Action Against the Heirs of Adam Miller.

Martha Lena Cary, who says she was married to Charles Foster Cary, June 29, 1911, is seeking a legal separation from her erstwhile lord and master on the grounds of gross neglect of duty.

In her petition the wife alleges that on the 24th day of March, 1912, a child, Mary Alice Cary, was born and since that time the husband and father has failed to provide except to the monetary extent of \$47.00, which was paid through fear of arrest and punishment for delinquency in such legal duty. Mrs. Cary asks custody of her baby girl, temporary and permanent alimony, attorney fees and costs of suit.

Hinkle vs. Miller, et al. Etta Hinkle, through her attorneys, Lippincott & Lippincott, has brought action against Julia A. Miller, Nancy C. Gossard, Mert Gossard, Jennie Miller and Armen Miller, a minor under 14 years of age, for the purpose of settling through the courts a disagreement as to the proceeds realized from the sale of 120 acres of land, the estate of Adam Miller, deceased.

A second cause of action is based on an averment that Julia A. Miller was feeble in mind and body and her mental faculties impaired on account of her age, at the time a deed for the property in question was executed.

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Immense Season's Clearance of High Character Suits, Overcoats, Hats, Caps, Furnishings, Etc. Our Entire Stock of our own celebrated and dependable make Clothing is now offered at price reductions. You never have any difficulty to buy cheap clothing, but seldom does there come a time when you can buy strictly high grade as low as here quoted. Unusually large discounts off our exceptionally low regular prices. Here is your opportunity.

This Sale is for the Purpose of Making New Friends and Customers for This Store

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BABY WOOD DUCKS.

The Journey to the Water When They Leave Their Litter.

Somebody, Burroughs, I believe, said "the notion that the mother duck takes the young birds one by one in her bill and carries them to the water is simply a cruel hoax." I could not see how else it could be done, without a contribution to the Youth's Companion, and I spent several valuable days of several different years in trying to find out how it was done.

The thing that puzzled me was how the mother wood duck (Aix sponsa) managed to get her numerous progeny down from her lofty cradle and upon the water without injuring them. I was not alone in my ignorance; some very eminent ornithologists have waded about the matter as well.

After a five mile pull one hot June day I let my boat lie in the shade of some lily cottonwoods that grew on the lake shore, while I lay back and

watched the play of shadows on the white water.

A splash near by attracted my attention, and I looked round to see a mother wood duck just alighting. There was a little one by her side, but I did not see how it got there. In a moment the old duck rose, closed a few times to gain altitude, and made direct for a hole in a large dead tree a few rods away. The hole was at least sixty feet from the ground. The duck swam her body through the opening and disappeared. She came back in a few moments with a duckling in her mouth. After resting for a moment she came sailing down and placed this baby beside the first. One after another she carried down the entire brood of eleven little yellow and black fluffy balls. They dapped their tiny wings and fluttered in the water as if that were not the first time they had ever been in swimming.

The mother duck returned once more to the tree to make sure that she had not overlooked one, came back, placed

herself at the head of the procession, called softly to her babies and swam away, followed by the entire family in single file.

A QUAINT PHILOSOPHER.

He Doffed His Little Foulie Into Real Virtue.

In August Strindberg's "Father (a play) and Son," translated from the Swedish by Volma Swanson Howard, is a quaint bit of conscience easing reasoning by a matter of fact philosophical philosopher. He had a partner, who posed as a real, a few-line, philosopher. But this matter of fact chap was "full of little eccentricities." For instance, he smoked tobacco all day long; he could never learn to close a door after him; he stuck the knife into his mouth instead of the fork; he went about in the house with his hat on; he manicured his nails in the middle of the atelier, and at night he had to have three mugs of ale. He was full of faults.

To his fastidious partner the matter of fact one thus justified his shortcomings: "Just consider! I do not drink to excess, therefore I attend to the business. I don't steal, I never speak ill of you, I never complain, I never turn white into black, I'm never unkind to customers, I rise early in the morning, I trim my nails to keep the developer clean, I keep my hat on my head so as not to shed hairs on the plate, I smoke tobacco to clear the atmosphere of poisonous fumes, I leave the doors ajar to avoid making a noise in the atelier, I drink ale at night so as not to fall into the whiskey habit, and I shove my knife into my mouth to avoid sticking myself with the fork."

"Verily, thou art a great philosopher," said the partner. "Now we shall be friends, and thus we'll make headway."

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CIVIL WAR EXISTS IN LIMA WATER WORKS UNDER MAYOR SHOOK

EARL ROHN REFUSES

TO PUT INTO OPERA-
TION SCHEDULE
OF RATES

As Adopted by the Shook-
Blank-Morris Board of
Control.

TOWARD TREAT
ALSO RESIGNS.

Water Department Office is
Today Without a
Secretary.

Former Secretary Regan is
Offered Job and Flatly
Refuses It.

A condition of actual civil war exists within Mayor Shook's official family today and will continue to exist until the new service director, James Morris, finds a citizen of Lima, who will be willing to accept the rather delicate situation of secretary of the Lima water works department to succeed Earl Rohn.

Howard Treat has also resigned and Will McCoy, the last man to remain under the new director, will in all probability resign before the week is out.

At Cross Purposes.
This condition forces the water works absolutely without a clerical force.

In other words, there is not today a man in the water works office who will put into effect the new schedule of water rates as established by the Shook-Blank-Morris board of control.

New Schedule Stands.
That the new schedule including a \$5.00 minimum rate for 37,500 gallons a year will stand, was verified today by the legal publication of the Shook idea of rates in the Lima daily newspapers.

Rohn Revolts.
"I am manager of this water works office and will continue to be until my successor can be found. I will not put into effect, with one solitary consumer of Lima water, the absurd and thoroughly incompetent plan as ordered by Service Director Morris."

I take this attitude, not in a spirit of pique but because I will not take the responsibility of being condemned by my fellow townsmen all the remainder of my days for having a hand in an "iniquitous, ruinous plan which will eventually work severe harm to thousands of my friends."

A Full Statement.
Going more fully into detail, Mr. Rohn issued the following statement last night:

I spent New Year's day in Columbus, and upon my return to Lima this morning was surprised to find the statement that my resignation as secretary of the Lima water works had not been accepted.

Upon being advised, on December 31, that Mr. Harman had been removed from his position as service director by Mayor Shook, I immediately wrote my resignation and tendered it to Mr. Harman, who had not at that time been notified by the mayor of his removal from office.

The idea seems prevalent that I am going to retain my position as secretary of the water works.

I wish to correct this erroneous idea and state emphatically that it is not my intention, or purpose to remain with the water works longer than is absolutely necessary for the new service director, Mr. Morris, to find a man to qualify for my position.

"Mr. Shook makes the statement that his removal of Mr. Harman from office was merely because of the difference of opinion as to the proper rates to the consumer of water."

"Mr. Harman and myself spent

days weeks and months in studying the problem of rates to be established before presenting them to the public. We were unanimous in the opinion that the minimum charge should be based upon the actual cost of production.

Mr. Harman received a letter from Mr. Shook asking him to remove the minimum rate January 1. Mr. Harman immediately called Mr. Shook on the phone and pleaded with him to come to the water works office and go over the situation in detail. This Mr. Shook refused to do and has refused at all times to attend any conference relative to water rates.

"The water works has been a losing proposition from the time of its inception as a municipal plant, and we felt that the first thing necessary was to lay a sound foundation, then when all services were metered the enormous waste eliminated and all service placed upon an absolute equality, to revise the rates to suit the changed conditions. We were optimistic in the belief that we could make a substantial revision downward as has been the experience of other cities under similar conditions."

"If each consumer does not bear his proper share in the actual cost of production some one else must bear it, and that in itself is a discrimination of one class against another."

"The sliding scale as established by Mr. Harman, gave to the manufacturing interests of the city water for commercial use at a fair rate. I fail to see the wisdom in putting a rate on our manufacturers that is prohibitive, because in the end it can only react on the small non-user of water for domestic use, and nothing is gained. Practically every water works in the country and a minimum rate covering the cost of production, and a sliding scale that takes care of the large consumer of water for commercial use. In many cases the rate to the manufacturer is much less than that established by Mr. Harman."

"Mr. Shook's contention may coincide with Socialistic views, but from the knowledge I have gained from the situation from actual experience, study and research, I believe the basic principle underlying the 'Shook idea', so to speak, to be unsound, inequitable and ruinous."

"The same divergence of opinion that existed between Mr. Harman and Mr. Shook, exists between Mr. Shook and myself. So that it is out of the question for me to attempt to retain the office and endeavor to carry out a policy that I do not believe in."

"Yours very truly,
EARL C. ROHN,
Secretary Lima Water Works
Department
Lima, O., January 2, 1913."

HOWARD TREAT RESIGNS.

Following the resignation of Earl Rohn as secretary, comes the resignation of Howard Treat, who under Director Harman was assistant secretary in his communication to present Director Morris. Mr. Treat gave ill-health as his reason for resignation but when asked if he would have resigned had Mayor Shook stood by E. B. Harman, Mr. Treat answered in the negative.

Mr. Rohn's views are my views," said Mr. Treat this morning, "and I could not have decently remained in that office under the new schedule of rates, at the same time retaining my self-respect."

Worked Nights, Too.

"I was another one who worked nights along side Frank Harman and Earl Rohn in an effort to put the city's only municipal plant on a self-supporting basis, where the public was overcharged and at the same time the city was not helped."

"The present schedule will never lay out and I do not intend to be present at the awakening."

Director Morris Sanguine.

Public Service Director Morris, successor of Frank Harman, was

quite optimistic this morning concerning a peaceful and successful solution to the present trouble.

"I have before me several applications for the position as secretary of the Lima water works but have decided on none of them. I will be ready to announce a successor to Mr. Rohn within a day or two," said Director Morris.

Will Regan Refuses.

Persistent rumor had it this morning that Will Regan, secretary during Fred C. Becker's term as mayor, would succeed Rohn. When seen Mr. Regan was very vehement in his denial of such action.

"I was asked to take the job and at once answered that I would not have it under any circumstances," said Mr. Regan today.

"There isn't enough money in Lima to make such a position look good to me."

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SCIENTIST INVENTS
UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE.

Sir William Ramsay Suggests Signs For Communication.

To make possible the exchange of ideas among all the peoples of the world Sir William Ramsay, the eminent English scientist who is lecturing in Boston, has begun to develop a pictorial sign language based somewhat upon Chinese, which he hopes will eventually spread among all races.

The Chinese character to express "man," for instance, is made with two converging lines that represent simply his legs, looking much like the legs of the crude man that the schoolboy draws.

Sir William's character goes further and adds a vertical straight line above the converging lines to represent the body.

"The first thing that one thinks of," he argues, "is existence expressed in the verb 'to be.'"

So he has, arbitrarily perhaps, selected the arithmetical equality mark to denote existence. All things relating to one's state and condition can be expressed by these two parallel lines.

For times that stretch away or action that is constant he uses a dash. Instantaneous time or action he represents with a dot. Thus a dot placed squarely between and in the middle of the two lines of the equality mark denotes the immediate present or "I am." Similarly the dot when placed at the left and between the two lines denotes past or "I was" and when placed to the right indicates the future tense or "I am to be."

To denote a woman Sir William draws a line closing the diverging ends of the legs of the sign for man. On the theory that "I" is the most important thing in the world to any man Sir William utilizes the straight vertical line that represents the body of his man figure to depict the world.

ROOF GARDENS FOR FIREMEN.

Novel Scheme Devised to Improve Health of Men.

Fire fighters are to have roof gardens for physical exercise, health and comfort, an attraction that will lighten their long hours of duty and confinement when not actually engaged in fighting fires, and fifteen of these gardens are now being built on the roofs of the new buildings under construction in the five boroughs of New York.

Realizing the monotony of existence in the average truck and engine house, where the men are confined to close quarters twenty-four hours daily when not actually engaged in fighting fires, Fire Commissioner Johnson decided that anything which would relieve this condition and contribute to the amusement, health and comfort of the men would be a good investment and mean more efficient service to the city.

Fifteen of the forty-five new houses started during the year as additions to the department in the five boroughs will be equipped with roof gardens. The designs have been worked out to provide the most attractive and comfortable quarters that the funds appropriated for the purpose would permit.

Two styles of gardens have been adopted. One is a covered garden twenty feet deep across the front of the three story fire house on a level with the third floor and opening directly into the recreation rooms. The other style provides for an uncovered garden, also on a level with the third floor, but across the rear of the house. Access to the gardens will be had through glass doors opening from the recreation rooms.

PARIS TO EAT ELEPHANT.

Unruly Beast Is Killed and Owner Sells Meat.

Elephant pate figures on menus for special dinners at all the principal restaurants in Paris. The appearance of the new dish is the result of a chance supply rather than a popular demand, being due to the death of Agra, a large elephant which for some days terrorized Paris. Agra was the property of a traveling showman and developed a habit of getting out of his cage, walking around town, wrecking numerous wine shops, uprooting trees and causing panic in the streets where he appeared. When the authorities suggested that Agra would be better off at Paris his master took him to a provincial town, but as it was still found impossible to keep him from escaping and walking through shop windows he had to be killed. The owner determined to lose as little as possible by his death, so he engaged several butchers to cut him up and mince him into pate, which sold for nearly the price he paid for the animal when alive.

The pate is said to have a delicious flavor, but its digestive qualities are not insisted on, and this suggested that Agra's devastating rambles may not have ceased with death.

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COMMISSIONERS
GO TO INFIRMARY

Inspect Building and Grounds With Superintendent Delbert McBride in Charge.

The board of county commissioners, which have under their jurisdiction the Allen county infirmary, by a change of the law, effective with the first of the year, made an inspection of the institution yesterday. With the new rule effective, the former superintendent, L. C. Sigler, was succeeded by Delbert McBride, formerly of Elida. Mr. McBride and his wife took charge as superintendent and matron respectively, Wednesday.

Grounds, buildings and equipment were inspected. Indications point to the fact the change will make no material difference in the operation of affairs. Things are moving along like clock-work. The infirmary board, which passed out of existence with the new year, consisted of Members Isaac D. Crider, T. B. Bowersock, and E. B. Manahan.

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PULTIZER'S SON TALKS
ON NEWSPAPER MAKING.

Heir of Late Publisher Says Latter's Religion Was Truth.

Ralph Pulitzer, son of the late Joseph Pulitzer, who endowed the Pulitzer school of journalism, received an enthusiastic greeting from the Columbia students when he addressed them in the East hall auditorium. He spoke of the aridity with which his father seized on all sources of knowledge.

Mr. Pulitzer was scathing in his characterization of the newspaper which admits that facts embarrass rather than please it. Such a paper he put in the class of monstrosities, while the paper that prints inaccurate statements, however innocently, he described as one performing an "essentially abnormal function." He said in part:

"Accuracy in newspaper writing was with Joseph Pulitzer a religion. He had a ravenous craving for information. His intellect was positively leechlike in the way it fastened on any other intellect with which it came in contact and sucked from it every specific fact it contained that he did not already know. He was intolerant of generalizations and impatient of conclusions. He would draw his own. He hated an inaccurate statement as another man would hate a lie. He was inexorable in running it down and tearing it to pieces. Scrupulousness was his love of accuracy in the news columns. It was nothing compared to the almost painful conscientiousness of his proofs in on the editorial page. Among his brilliant, in his spoken words glowing white hot from the furnace of his convictions, he was always vehement. His violent and unrelenting intolerance interpenetrated in his statement of a case. These same qualities therefore appeared in the firm rough dictated draft of an editorial paragraph by paragraph, word by word, he would then select the best

days work his way through that editorial, weighing each word to see whether it was every so little of an overstatement or understatement or a misstatement of exact fact.

"The newspaper," Mr. Pulitzer went on, "is manufactured out of the subtlest, most volatile, most elusive raw material in the world—the truth."

He showed the difficulties with which every newspaper had to contend in getting, writing, printing and distributing its facts, resulting often in unfortunate but innocent inaccuracies, in order that he might point out and criticize more severely those other inaccuracies in some papers which are not innocent, but are vicious, deliberate fakes.

ULSTER SAVES MAN IN FALL.

Farmer, Blown Off Pailadeau, Lodges Safely in Tree.

While the spectacle of a launch landing at Alpine, N. J., is not one of the severest wonders of the world, a naphtha boat that landed there held for John Rouloff, a farmer of Alpine, enough interest to draw him to the edge of the Pailadeau.

A strong young breeze came along about then and lifted Mr. Rouloff from his feet, whirling him in the direction of the Hudson river, 240 feet down.

The farmer wore an ulster, buttoned. Remember this in case you intend to do any Alpine climbing, or the reverse, for thirty-five feet below the top of the cliff Rouloff landed in a tree and was about to continue his journey down when he popped out on to a strong limb. The limb ran up underneath the back of his coat, knocking off his hat. Then Mr. Rouloff remained quiet and fast.

Michael Neasey, looking down upon the peaceful river, saw Mr. Rouloff. He shouted to Rouloff to remain where he was—far from an impossibility under the circumstances—until he got help. In five minutes Neasey returned with two more men and a rope. The rope was lowered to Rouloff, and after he had fastened it under his arms he was drawn up.

Escaped After Fifteen Years.
W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after fifteen years of suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Foley Kidney Pills released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do all you claim for them. Refuse substitutes. M. M. Keltner."

"PUG" PRAYS IN PRIZE RING.

English Champion Also Touched Rivalry on Angle and Wren.

Johnny Summers, the welterweight boxing champion of England, who retained Lord Londsdale's belt symbolizing that distinction by defeating Syd Barnes at the National Sporting Club, is a devout Catholic.

Just before the fight began Summers knelt in his corner, bowed his head reverently and made the sign of the cross. Then he sprang to his feet like a gazelle, dashed at his man and with both hands off his belt to his opponent and of him. At the end of each round Summers turned down his left sock and touched a rosary that was wound around his ankle, and at the end of the time to start each round he

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You don't need any pencil and paper, or any calculation in arithmetic to see that, under those conditions, whatever we take off the price, we add to your profit.

We're taking chunks off the prices of these Suits and Overcoats that we've been selling all the season. We want to clear them up at once.

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX

Clothes are included in this sale; and if that doesn't represent real value to you, then you've got something to learn about clothes. Come in and get one of these good Suits and Overcoats now. It's money in your pocket.

Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats.

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| \$35 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$28.00 |
| \$30 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$24.50 |
| \$28 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$22.50 |
| \$27 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$21.50 |
| \$25 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$19.50 |
| \$23 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$17.50 |
| \$22 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$16.50 |
| \$20 H. S. & M. SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$15.00 |
| \$18 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$13.50 |
| \$15 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$11.25 |
| \$12 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$8.50 |
| \$10 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$7.25 |
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Boys' Suits and Overcoats.

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| \$12 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$9.75 |
| \$10 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$7.50 |
| \$9 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$6.75 |
| \$8.50 AND \$8 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$6.00 |
| \$7.50 AND \$7 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$5.25 |
| \$6.50 AND \$6 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$4.75 |
| \$5 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$3.75 |
| \$4.50 AND \$4 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$3.25 |
| \$3.50 AND \$3 XTRAGOOD SUITS AND OVERCOATS | \$2.50 |

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| \$5 SILK AND WOOL UNION SUITS | \$3.98 |
| \$4.50 SILK AND WOOL UNION SUITS | \$3.75 |
| \$4 SILK AND WOOL UNION SUITS | \$2.98 |
| \$3.50 UNION SUITS | \$2.65 |
| \$3 UNION SUITS | \$2.25 |
| \$2.50 UNION SUITS | \$1.98 |
| \$2 UNDERWEAR | \$1.68 |
| \$1.50 UNDERWEAR | \$1.15 |
| \$1.00 UNDERWEAR | .79c |
| 50c UNDERWEAR | .39c |

WOOLEN SHIRTS.

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| \$2.50 ALL WOOL SHIRTS | \$1.98 |
| \$2 ALL WOOL SHIRTS | \$1.48 |
| \$1.50 ALL WOOL SHIRTS | \$1.23 |
| \$1.25 FLANNEL SHIRTS | .98c |
| \$1.00 FLANNEL SHIRTS | .79c |
| ALL BOYS' SWEATERS, \$1 and \$1.50, at 79c | |
| \$1.00 CHILDREN'S SWEATERS, | |
| ALL WOOL | .48c |

MEN'S SWEATERS.

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| \$6 SHAWL COLLAR SWEATERS | \$4.75 |
| \$5 SHAWL COLLAR SWEATERS | \$3.75 |
| \$3.50 SHAWL COLLAR SWEATERS | \$2.75 |
| \$3.00 SHAWL COLLAR SWEATERS | \$2.50 |
| \$2 JERSEY SWEATERS | \$1.65 |
| LOT OF GOOD ALL WOOL SWEATER | |
| COATS | \$1.50 |

FUR CAPS.

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| \$12 SEAL SKIN | \$8.50 |
| \$9 SEAL SKIN | \$7.00 |
| \$7.50 SEAL SKIN | \$6.25 |
| \$6.50 SEAL SKIN | \$5.25 |
| \$6 SEAL SKIN | \$4.75 |
| \$5 SEAL SKIN | \$3.90 |
| \$3 FUR CAPS | \$2.45 |
| \$2.50 FUR CAPS | \$1.98 |
| \$1.50 FUR CAPS | \$1.19 |
| \$2.50 SILK PLUSH | \$1.98 |
| \$1.50 SILK PLUSH | \$1.12 |

HATS.

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| \$5 VELOUR HATS | \$3.98 |
| \$4.50 VELOUR HATS | \$3.69 |
| \$3.00 HATS | \$2.48 |
| \$2.50 HATS | \$1.98 |
| \$2 HATS | \$1.48 |
| \$1.50 HATS | \$1.15 |
| \$1.00 HATS | .85c |

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LIMA, OHIO.

LEG IS TORN OFF AT KNEE

Workman Suffers a Severe
Injury When Car is
Derailed.

TONIA ROYCE FELL
UNDER MOVING CAR.

Amputation is Successful
and Recovery is Now
Promised.

Falling beneath the wheels of the work train on the Erie railroad just southwest of this city last evening, Tonia Royce was so badly injured that for a time it was feared by those who attended him that recovery was impossible as well as improbable. However, he is resting as easily as could possibly be expected this morning, and most encouraging reports are given out from his bedside.

Immediately after the accident happened, Williams and Davis' ambulance was summoned and took the injured man to the city hospital. Here he was immediately operated upon, and is now convalescent.

Royce has been employed as a foreman on the new construction work that is being done on the Erie road, east Second street, and Mr. Edwin Lee Company. He was riding in between two cars on the work train that was busy hauling dirt to be used in filling a grade that is being made just to the south of the cemetery.

Standing in between the third and fourth cars, he was directing the work from the moving train. The third car was suddenly derailed and went bumping along the ties of the dummy road on which the work train travels. Mr. Royce was thrown from his position by the wildly lurching car, and fell onto the track

immediately in front of the wheels of the fourth car. Before the train could be stopped, this car passed over the right leg of the unfortunate employee, veritably tearing it off at the knee joint.

The train was stopped and the man was made as comfortable as possible. Great difficulty was experienced by the ambulance in making this trip and the day's fall of rain had made the temporary entrance to this place of improvement a sea of mud.

The operation which it was necessary to perform on the unfortunate victim was one of the most serious in the amputating class, on account of it being directly at the knee joint. The nature of the accident and the conditions which surround it lent an additional danger of blood poisoning.

Mr. Royce is well known about Lima, having for some time been connected with various jobs of improvement work. He is a brother of Miss Daisy Royce, of the Curtis Transfer office.

CIVIC LEAGUE.

Lima Civic League will meet at the public library on Friday evening, January 3, promptly at 7 o'clock. Election of officers and other important business will be transacted.

MRS. FRED C. BECKER,
Secretary.

EDWIN HEFNER WEDS ALICE LAUREL JONES

Simple Ceremony Took Place Last Evening at the Residence of
Rev. A. R. Houze.

Miss Alice Laurel Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of 1135 east Second street, and Mr. Edwin Hefner, receiving clerk at the Lima Lee Company, were united in marriage Thursday evening. The ceremony took place at the hour of nine o'clock at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. A. B. House of 629 west Elm street. The young people were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Breestinger, the latter of whom is a sister to the bridegroom.

Mr. Hefner and bride will reside at 259 south Pine street and will be at home to their friends after February 1.

CHECKER PLAYERS

Will Contest for City Cham-
pionship at the
Y. M. C. A.

TOURNAMENT OPENS
TUESDAY EVENING.

Contest is Open to Every
Resident of This
City.

Arrangements for a city checker tournament have been concluded by the officers of the Y. M. C. A., and the first preliminary matches will be played next Tuesday evening, January 7. The second preliminary will be held the following Tuesday evening, and the final one week later. The winner will be awarded the title of city champion.

Checkers has always been one of the most popular games played at the Y. M. C. A. building, and a good-natured rivalry has sprung up among the players as to who is the champion. This led to the tournament, which will be open to all residents of the city, whether members of the Y. M. C. A. or not.

Lima boasts of a number of crack checker players, and from the latest already evinced in the tournament, it promises to be one of the most exciting and interesting contests ever given under the auspices of the association. The rules and regulations of state tournaments will govern the local tournaments, and ever one will be given a fair chance to compete.

Entries can be mailed or left in person with Henry M. Neff, of 224 Y. M. C. A., anytime before tomorrow evening, when the entries will close. Those entered in the tournament at this time include: D. Deviney, Clayton M. Paine, S. E. Meeks, Thomas J. Wallis, W. H. Butcher, W. H. Huston, F. A. Burkhardt, Dr. E. A. Swan, Charles Meeks, Ed. Ogilvie, W. A. Burkhardt, Baxter Trevor, F. M. Bell, C. Klump, Dr. Pfeiffer and Meyers Feiser.

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NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Softens Company, Canton, \$5,000, W. J. Fitzgerald, A. M. Fitzgerald, L. Fitzgerald.

Cambridge Hospital Company, Cambridge, \$10,000, F. C. Huth, James P. Madden, Fred Horntickie.

Smith Facing and Supply Company, Cleveland, \$25,000, P. A. White, H. L. Parmenter, H. A. Beckett.

Ohio Coopers Company, Cincinnati, \$50,000, P. M. Pogue, Carl Lehmann, A. Majowaka.

Stollberg Hardware and Paint Company, Toledo, \$10,000, William Stollberg, T. E. Heiselman, Charles Wehrich.

Electrical Equipment Company, Timar, \$25,000, Major N. Eastman, E. D. Chapman, T. B. Brewer.

Johnson Electric Supply Company, Cincinnati, \$10,000, William J. McCauley, A. Barth Horton, W. M. Reinhardt.

United Improvement Company, Cleveland, reduction \$75,000 to \$37,000.

Krehbiel and Struve Company, Cincinnati, \$40,000, E. O. Krehbiel, H. R. Struve Jr., E. V. Schoenberger.

Memorial Publishing Company, Cleveland, \$20,000, E. C. Finley, Anna Straley, W. P. Ohler.

Timmons Glove Company, Coscocon, \$50,000, R. E. Timmons, A. D. Timmons, L. P. Gallagher.

Society of the Eighty-Second Regiment, O. V. I., Kenton, H. P. Cutlag.

Elyria, Grafton and Southern Railway Company, Cleveland, reduction \$100,000 to \$1,000.

Norwalk Gas and Electric Company, Norwalk, reduction \$125,000 to \$1,250.

Register Publishing Company, Sandusky, reduction \$120,000 to \$72,000.

George B. Donavin Company, Columbus, reduction \$85,000 to \$25,000.

East Shore Land Company, Cleveland, reduction \$10,000 to \$50,000.

CRETO GOT NEW TRIAL

Because of Serious Illness
of One of the
Jurymen.


REPORT DENIED
BY THE SHERIFF

That Medical Assistance
Had Been Denied the
Jurymen.

Jefferson, O., Jan. 3.—In connection with the case of Joe Cresto, convicted of manslaughter for killing Mike Montan at Rock Creek last July, in which a new trial has been granted on the grounds of misconduct of the jury, it was stated Monday in a dispatch from here that the court constable refused to call a doctor for Juror D. W. Phillips, 82, said to have been taken ill during the deliberations unless a verdict was ready to report, and that in order to gain medical attention for Phillips to save his life, the jury returned a verdict of guilty. This is not true.

Sheriff L. B. Sheldon said today that no one connected with the court was asked or refused to obtain medical attendance for Phillips. Court Constable R. A. Andrews said today that he was told by Juror Phillips that he was not ill.

Allegations as to the action of the jury were made in an affidavit by R. R. Incho, a jurymen. Other jurors made affidavits that varied from that of Incho in some particulars.



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Finished Pieces of Art Needle Work at Half Price and Less.

LYRIC THEATRE.

"The Genius and the Gentleman," which is holding the boards the last half of this week at the Lyric, is what may well be termed a surprise, for it certainly is a whole succession of surprises. The unexpected happens at every turn of the plot and it is full of turns and twists. "The Genius and the Gentleman" is also full of opportunity for all the participants of the play, from droll comedy roles—which by the way are unique and refreshing—to the more serious and sentimental parts, all of which are well rendered. "The Genius and the Gentleman" is in every way an enjoyable play. Next week Clyde Fitch's comedy, "Girls" will be offered during the first half of the week, with a ten cent matinee on Tuesday. "The Genius and the Gentleman" tonight, Saturday night,



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NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS
The following schedule of rates for the use of water will be in force for the period of six (6) months, next preceding June 30, 1913.
Sec. 58—NO SERVICE shall be connected to the city water mains after this date except on meter. Consumers now using water under flat rate schedule must provide meters subject to rules and regulations of water works. Consumers may have the option of renting or purchasing meters from the city. No meter may be used except those provided by the city.
RENTAL OF ORDINARY meter Two (\$2.00) Dollars payable One (\$1.00) Dollar semi-annually which may be applied on purchase price of meter. Purchase price of meter 1/2 size is Seven (\$7.00) Dollars installed in cellar.
IF INSTALLED AT CURB the charge is Three (\$3.00) Dollars

extra, making Ten (\$10.00) Dollars, or if rented Three (\$3.00) Dollars for setting, plus the regular rental charge.
ALL METERS now in use will be subject to the same regulations as if installed after this date.
Sec. 34—THE MINIMUM RATE shall be Five (\$5.00) Dollars per annum, payable in two installments of Two (\$2.00) Dollars and Fifty (.50c) cents on June 30th and December 31st, of each year and there shall be an allowance of 2,500 cubic feet or 13,750 gallons of water for each period, and over that amount will be charged at Seventy (.70c) cents per thousand cubic feet.
Sec. 55—ALL WATER BILLS for manufacturers, railroads, large blocks and apartment houses are rendered and payable monthly. All water shall be charged according to meter registration.

BRITISH PREMIER'S DAUGHTER TO VISIT IN WASHINGTON.



Miss Violet Asquith, eldest daughter of the prime minister of England, who arrived in New York recently with the Countess of Aberdeen, is to be the guest of Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce of Washington.

LIMA MARKETS.

| WHOLESALE PRODUCE. | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Country Butter, lb. | 28c |
| Lard, lb. | 12c |
| Eggs, doz. | 25c |
| Young Chickens, lb. | 10c |
| Old Chickens, lb. | 9c |
| Ducks, lb. | 12c |
| Turkeys, lb. | 18c |
| Geese, lb. | 12c |
| Potatoes, bu. | 45c |
| Apples, bu. | 75c |
| Turnips, bu. | 40c |
| Onions, bu. | 80c |
| RETAIL GROCERIES. | |
| Country Butter, lb. | 35c |
| Creamery Butter, per lb. | 40c |
| Lard, lb. | 15c |
| Eggs, doz. | 30c |
| Young Chickens, lb. | 12 1/2c |
| Old Chickens, lb. | 12 1/2c |
| Ducks, lb. | 15c |
| Turkeys, lb. | 25c |
| Geese, lb. | 16c |
| Potatoes, bu. | 50c |
| Apples, bu. | 1.20 |
| Turnips, bu. | 60c |
| Onions, bu. | 1.00 |
| LOCAL GRAIN MARKET. | |
| Wheat, bu. | 1.04 |
| Corn, per cwt. | 80c |
| Oats, bu. | 80c |
| Timothy Seed, bu. | 1.00 |
| Rye, bu. | 65c |
| Red Clover Seed, bu. | 8.00 |
| Alsike, bu. | 10.00 |
| HAY MARKET. | |
| No. 1 Timothy, baled, ton. | 14.00 |
| No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton. | 12.00 |
| No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton. | 13.00 |
| No. 1 Mixed, bulk, ton. | 11.00 |
| No. 1 Clover, baled, ton. | 12.00 |
| No. 1 Clover, bulk, ton. | 10.00 |
| LIVE STOCK. | |
| Good Steers, 1400 to 1200 lbs. | 6 to 6 1/2c |
| Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs. | 5 to 5 1/2c |
| Heifers | 4 1/2 to 5 1/2c |
| Calves | 7 to 7 1/2c |
| Bulls | 4 1/2 to 5 1/2c |
| Cows | 2 1/2 to 4 1/2c |
| Sheep | 2 to 4c |
| Lambs | 5 to 6c |
| Hogs, heavy | 7c |
| Hogs, Medium | 6 1/2 to 7c |
| Hogs, Rough | 5 to 6 1/2c |

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"Quit That! GETS-IT Will 'Get' Any Corn."
The new kind of corn cure: the only sure kind: the only easy, safe, painless kind is here. It's what corn-pestered people have been looking for ever since the age of Aboos. Does it really do the work? Well, just one trial will prove it.
The name of this big surprise is "GETS-IT," because it gets it. You don't have to wrap your toes up in bandages. There are no plasters, no salves. What is more, "GETS-IT" will never, absolutely can't, hurt or make the true flesh sore, as many other corn "things" do. If it gets on the skin, it won't, can't hurt or injure the flesh. Apply it in two seconds. It's guaranteed, or your money is refunded.
Your druggist sells "GETS-IT," 15 cents per bottle, or direct if you wish, from E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

G. E. BLUEM

Friday, January 3, 1913.

WEATHER—Snow and colder.

The Annual January Clearance Sale---At Bluem's

Is Now In Progress---Many Items of Interest Can Now Be Found Here at Great Price Savings

Clearances In Silks, Velvets and Corduroys

39c, 49c, 69c, 79c to \$4 yd for 50c to \$6 Values

Many careful buyers are being attracted by the splendid values we are offering in this our regular January Silk Clearance. Hundreds of yards of beautiful Silks, Velvets and Corduroys have had the clearance price put on them. The assortments are the biggest, and the values the best we have ever offered at these prices. Come while choosing is still good. We mention a few values:

Regular 50c and 75c Velveteens for dresses and Suits, all the wanted Winter shades, now 39c yard.
\$1.00 Suiting Velvets, 24 and 27 in. wide, in gray, green, blue, brown, red and wisteria, now 69c yard.
\$1.25 Corduroys, 31 in. wide, in white, tan, navy, red, brown and green, now 69c yard.
\$1.00 Silk Stripe Velvets, street shades, now 69c yard.
\$2.00 Imported Suiting Velvets and Corduroys, in plain colors and 2-tone effects; Linden brand, the best brand made, a fine assortment of colors, now \$1.49 yard.
\$5.00 Black Chiffon Velvet, all silk, 42 in. wide, now \$2.98 yard.

\$6.00 Brocaded Velvet, in black only, now \$4.00 yard.
75c and 85c Messalines and Taffetas, 24 and 27 in. wide, a wide range of street and evening shades, now 49c yard.
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Silks, in fancy, messalines, taffetas, louisines, foulards, brocades, etc., in street and evening shades, 20, 22, 24 and 27 in. wide, a very fine assortment, now 79c yard.
Regular \$1.50 Taffetas, in plain and changeable effects, 36 in. wide, also one lot of messalines and lining satin, now 98c yard.
Chiffons, Marquisettes and Silk Voiles, a fine assortment of shades and patterns at clearance prices.

Clearances In Women's Suits and Coats

Beautiful Styles---Best Materials---Low Prices

Our entire line of Women's and Misses' Tailored Cloth Suits and Long Cloth Coats have been re-sorted and re-priced for January clearance. Many are finding splendid bargains among them. These are all our regular stock, all high grade materials and newest models. Broken sizes of course, but plenty of all sizes in the various lots. But to find the color and the material you want in your size, we would advise that you hurry, as many of them have already been picked up. We quote the prices—You must see them to know their good values:

Regular \$40 to \$55 Suits, now \$29.00
Regular \$35 to \$40 Suits, now \$24.75
Regular \$27.50 to \$32.50 Suits, now \$19.75
Regular \$20.00 to \$27.50 Suits, now \$12.48
Regular \$15.00 to \$20.00 Suits, now \$7.95

\$30.00 to \$45.00 Cloth Coats, now \$24.75
\$25.00 to \$32.50 Cloth Coats, now \$19.75
\$22.50 to \$25.00 Cloth Coats, now \$14.98
\$15.00 to \$20.00 Cloth Coats, now \$12.48
\$12.50 to \$16.50 Cloth Coats, now \$7.95

Clearances In Children's Coats

All Children's Coats now in stock go in this clearance sale at greatly reduced prices. 5 lots all told:

LOT I.—All Children's Cloth Coats now in stock in regular \$6.95 to \$10.00 values, sizes 8 to 14 years. Clearance Price \$4.95 each.

LOT II.—All Children's Cloth Coats, worth \$10.00, \$12.50 to \$15.00 regularly, sizes 8 to 14 yrs., go in this sale at \$6.95 each.

LOT III.—Children's Coats in corduroys, velvets, plushes and fine imported cloths, regular \$5.50 to \$10.00 values, sizes 2 to 6 yr., a big lot, at \$4.95 each.

LOT IV.—3 dozen Children's Coats of caracul, chinchilla, corduroys and fancy mixtures, regular \$4.00 to \$5.50 values, now go at \$3.98 each. Sizes 2 to 6 year.

Lot V.—One and one-half dozen Children's Coats, 2 to 6 year sizes. Regular \$2.98 values, go in this sale at \$1.98 each.

Clearances In Wash Fabrics

Regular 15c and 25c Kimono Flannels, all our best grades, including every piece of this season's styles, now 12 1/2c yd.

Regular 25c, 29c and 39c Mercerized Wash Fabrics, in poplins, Himalaya cloth, gros grain and diagonal suitings, in all colors for winter and spring wear, now 18c yard.

Wash Fabrics, in short lengths for suits, dresses and children's garments, at half regular price.

Knit Underwear Clearances

Women's \$1.00 Vests and Pants, grey, 79c each.
Women's \$1.00 Vests and Tights, white, fleeced, 39c each.

Men's 50c Shirts and Drawers, fleeced, medium and heavy weight, 39c each.

Men's Shirts and Drawers, gray wool, \$1.00 values, 89c; \$1.50 values, \$1.39.

Children's 25c Vests and Pants, grey fleeced, 19c each.

Children's Pants, wool and cotton, odds and ends, 30c to 75c values, at 19c to 49c each.

Many other odds and ends at clearance prices.

Neckwear at Half-Price

One big lot of fancy Collars and Jabots, all new styles, at half-price for clearance.

Clearances In Women's Dresses

\$12.50 to \$25 Values Now \$9.85

One lot of Women's Dresses, regular \$12.50 to \$25 garments, in silk, satins, serges and fancy wool weaves, nearly all shades and sizes, many very pretty models among them, every dress a bargain at \$9.85 each.

Women's Dresses Worth Up to \$15.00 each, mostly fine serges in nearly all colors—a few silk and fancy materials among them, go in this sale at \$7.95 each. Nearly all sizes.

Clearances In Women's Skirts

\$5 to \$12.50 Values at \$3.98

Between 75 and 100 Women's Separate Skirts of fine serges, voiles, corduroys and fancy mixtures, in all colors and all sizes, regular \$5.00 to \$12.50 values, go in this sale at \$3.98 each. Come early.

Hosiery Clearances

Women's \$3.00 Silk Hose, black, hand-embroidered in colors, odds and ends, \$1.19 pair.

Women's \$2.00 Silk Hose, black, hand-embroidered in colors, 79c pair.

Women's \$1.50 Silk Hose, light shades, at half-price.

Women's 75c Hose, black silk lisle and gauze lisle, 50c pair.

Women's 50c Cotton Hose, white split sole or white foot, 39c pair.

Women's 50c Gauze Lisle Hose, out sizes, 35c pr.

Women's 25c Fleeced Hose, all black or with white foot, small sizes, 17c pair.

Misses' 25c Black Cashmere Hose, extra fine, 19c pair.

Misses' 25c Mercerized Lisle Hose, in white, pink, blue or tan, 19c pair.

Odds and ends in Men's Hose, at clearance prices.

Clearances In Curtains, Draperies and Rugs

Fancy Nets in 5 to 12 yard lengths, white and beige, regular 40c to 75c values, to clean them up, 23c yard.

500 yards of Silkoline in light and dark colors, good patterns, regular 12 1/2c values, go for clearance at 9c yard.

Many pieces on the remnant counter in drapery fabrics and curtain materials, at remnant prices.

\$5.00 Scotch Wool Rugs, all wool, all colors, size 36x72 in., at \$1.79 each. Extra values.

\$1.50 Wool Fiber Rugs, all colors, 36x72 in., only a few left, at 89c each.

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Only recently a man lost a contract because he could not shave himself. He was waiting his turn at the barber's so as to look "spick and span" when he met the awarding committee, but he had to wait and the committee didn't, so some self-shaver got the contract.

The Times-Democrat presents what is known as the Very Sharp Outfit. It makes self-shaving possible without learning the barber's trade. It isn't a scraper, it's a cutter, with the accent on the cut, on the blade is so poised in the holder as to always assure the proper cutting angle. With the outfit are six blades, a strop and a stropper and a box of dressing that keeps the strop in such condition that you can sharpen your blades in a minute, so

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That's the whole story, and you need to do it to present sl. coupons, clipped from this paper on consecutive days, together with the small expense amount and get this complete self-shaving outfit.

Cut the High Cost of Living. W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. My two children had a very bad cough and the doctor's medicines did them no good. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the children were free and cured of their cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. No opiates. M. M. Keltner.

Take the "direct road" to health and strength by using Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak, sore kidneys and bladder irregularities. Each ingredient is chosen for its positive healing and curative qualities. Foley Kidney Pills are the best medicine you can buy for kidney and bladder troubles. Mrs. J. M. Fendley, Lyons, Ga., says: "I took Foley Kidney Pills and they entirely cured me." M. M. Keltner.

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Dr. Maximino Asenjo is Found Painless in New York.

ONCE HEAD OF A REVOLUTION.

Noted Exile Formerly Was Governor of Province of Leon—Suffered Imprisonment and Torture—Opens Office as Oculist When Given Aid in Big City.

Major Wallace Winchell, superintendent of the industrial department of the Salvation Army in New York, was approached in the army headquarters in Fourteenth street by a crippled man, who said he was an oculist and explained that he was in need of assistance until he could pass an examination entitling him to practice his profession here. Struck by the man's appeal and appearance, Major Winchell took him over to the army's industrial home in Jersey City, and, having confirmed all the statements made by the oculist, Major Winchell straightway accepted his services in the industrial home. Several days ago Major Winchell set up an office for him in the army's new industrial store at 198 Montgomery street, Jersey City.

When the sign of the oculist was placed in the front window it revealed the name of Dr. Maximino Asenjo, formerly governor of the province of Leon in Nicaragua, later minister to Chile, delegate to the first Latin-American congress and leader of Nicaraguan revolutionists.

Dr. Asenjo studied medicine in some of the leading universities of Europe, and he speaks Spanish, Italian, German, French and English fluently. After being graduated from Granada college, in Nicaragua, in 1887, he studied for eight years at Heidelberg and Munich, taking the degree of M. D. He then resumed his studies in Paris, where he spent three years under Dr. Panas, the celebrated oculist of the University of Paris.

Named Minister to Salvador. Returning to Nicaragua, Dr. Asenjo was appointed by President Zelaya minister to Salvador, where at the same time he continued his medical pursuits as professor of pathological anatomy to the hospital of San Salvador. Two years later he was recalled to Nicaragua to become governor of the province of Leon.

"This province was very hostile to the government," said Dr. Asenjo, "but I succeeded in subduing the spirit of the people. Returning at the end of a year to Managua, I was the object of such a great demonstration on the part of the people of Leon that the president became jealous of me. This, added to the divergence of our political views, caused me to resign."

"Soon afterward I went to Salvador, where the president, General Regalado, who was my intimate friend, immediately appointed me director of the military band of health Zelaya, fearing my influence there would be hostile to him, recalled me and offered to make me his secretary of state, but I refused and remained in Salvador."

"When war broke out between Salvador and Guatemala I was sent as an envoy to Honduras to enlist their military support, and my mission was successful. During the war, however, Regalado was killed, and I returned to Salvador. Several months later the republics of Salvador and Honduras declared war on Nicaragua, so I hastened to Honduras to join the Nicaraguans, who were fighting against Zelaya. I was at the battle where our combined armies were defeated by the forces of Zelaya. We fled to San Salvador, and on arriving there Minister of War Figueroa, my personal enemy, who had become president in order to avenge personal offenses had me thrown into prison on the pretext that I had been responsible for the defeat, which he knew was a lie."

"I was in the military prison in San Miguel for four months, watched day and night by septuagenns, who I knew had orders to put me out of the way secretly. An opportunity offered itself one night when the sentinel turned his back for me to make my escape through one of the skylights of the prison, but the strips of bed clothing by which I attempted to lower myself over the prison wall broke and I fell from a considerable height into a courtyard of a neighboring house."

received assistance of the police which completely paralyzed me and from which, as you see, I have never recovered.

Moved by Our Vice Consul. "I was again taken to prison, but was released after five days' horrible torture through the intervention of the American vice consul, Mr. Lord, who had no personal interest in me, but who was moved to a cottage where I was treated by the doctor of Mr. Lord and his wife. Meanwhile my friends in Managua thought I was dead."

At Granada Dr. Asenjo earned enough money at his profession to buy out a heavy estate, which he later sold on deciding to come to the United States to pursue his medical studies. From this property, he said, he should now be receiving a sufficient income to sustain him in a comfortable fashion. But the fighting recently started by General Somoza, with headquarters in Granada, has cut Dr. Asenjo off from all communication with his country.

THE STAGE

"BUNTY PULLS THE STRINGS"

"Bunty Pulls the Strings," the biggest theatrical novelty of many seasons, will be the attraction at the Rauri opera house, on next Saturday afternoon and night.

The remarkably successful run that it is now enjoying in New York is, no doubt, known to all who keep alive in things theatrical.

"Bunty" played for over a year at Collier's theatre—something out of the ordinary for New York. The fun of "Bunty Pulls the Strings" lies not so much in plot or situation as in the transparent workings of the minds of its characters. Every one of them is, or has been, or wants to be, a grasping of something, and every one of them, except "Bunty" is more self-deceiving than dangerous, because every one is "in" to the workings of every one else in intelligence. The fact extends to the old lady, who, with Scotch regard for the proprieties of the Kirk, could find no other way of satisfying her curiosity as to why the policeman was called out during the service than by fainting and being carried out where she could see what was going on.

"Excuse Me."

Henry W. Savage, great laughing farce success, "Excuse Me," will be the attraction at the Rauri next Monday night.

"Excuse Me" has been dubbed a "Pulman carnival in three sections," on account of the scene of its action. All three of the acts take place on a train running from Chicago to the Pacific coast. The actors are seen traveling in Pulman cars of the latest type, and the realism is absolutely startling. The auditor really feels as if he were on a train, the movement of the coaches being shown vividly. The births in the Pulman are practical, and are made up when the characters retire for the night.

Rupert Hughes, author of the play, has written a clean and wonderfully plausible farce. The characters are real human beings, such as might be met on an Overland Limited train. There is a love story, or rather several of them, and there is plot and counter-plot. Mr. Savage, as is customary with him, has given the play a wonderfully realistic mounting. He has also furnished a cast that is remarkable for its strength, including George W. Day, Geraldine O'Brien, and practically all of the New York cast. In spite of this the scale of prices for this engagement will remain at 25 cents to \$1.50.

The sale of seats will open tomorrow morning.

W. R. Fox 195 W. Washington St., Noblesville, Ind., says: "After suffering many months with kidney trouble, after trying other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Kidney Pills which not only did me more good than any other remedy I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." Take at the first sign of kidney trouble. M. M. Keltner.

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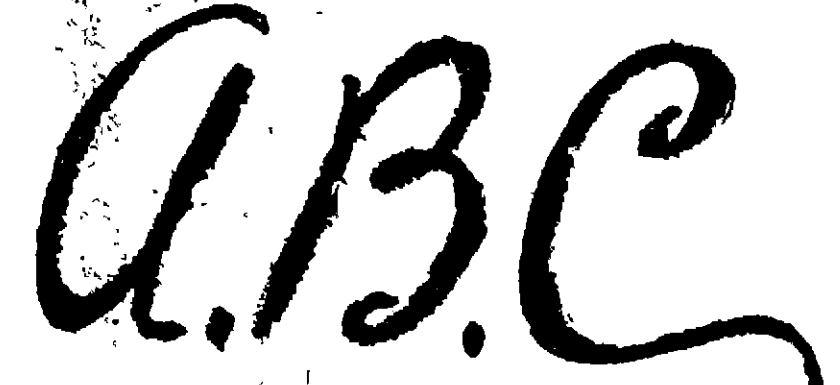
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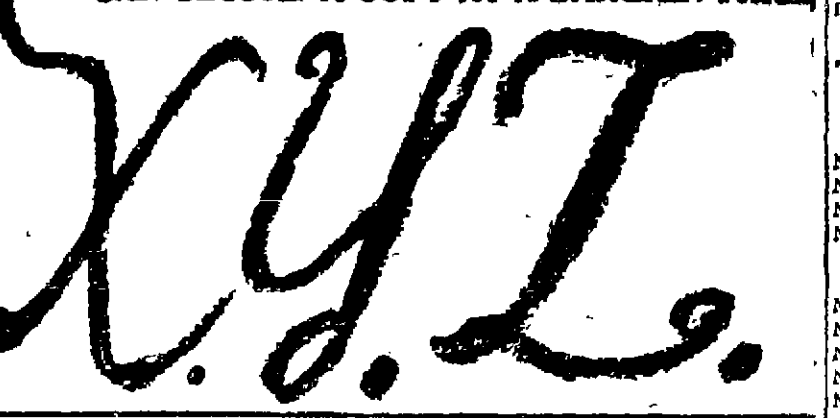
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Alexander W. Jameson, of the residence in Nowata, Oklahoma, postoffice box No. 168, is hereby notified that Mary E. Armstrong Jameson has filed her petition against him for divorce and equitable relief, praying for the relinquishment of any and all rights and dower of said land to said plaintiff's real estate in case No. 15316 in the common pleas court of Allen county, Ohio, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 25th day of January, 1913.

Mary E. Armstrong Jameson By Hughes & Tripplehorn, Her Attorneys. dec13-fri-sat-6wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Eunice Dabzell, deceased. Emma A. Dabzell has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Eunice Dabzell, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 19th day of December, A. D. 1912. JOHN N. HUTCHISON, Probate Judge, Allen county, Ohio W. L. Parmenter, Attorney for Executrix. dec 19 th-fr-2wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Robert Von Bessler, deceased. Clement Oher has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Robert Von Bessler, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 18th day of December, A. D. 1912. JOHN N. HUTCHISON, Probate Judge, Allen county, Ohio. dec19thu-fr-6wks

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

In pursuance of an order of the probate court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1913, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. at the door of the court house in the city of Lima, Ohio, the following described real estate, situated in the township of Richland, county of Allen, and state of Ohio, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-four (34) in township 12 (12) south of range eight (8) east, containing forty (40) acres of land more or less, subject to legal highways.

Said premises are located on the east side of a north and south road about one and one-half miles east of Beaverdam, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at \$4,400.00. Terms of Sale—One-third cash in hand, one-third in one year and the balance in two years from date of sale, the deferred payments to bear six (6) per cent interest from day of sale, payable annually, and to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15337. Ex. Dec. 14. Page 15337. Edward Bartel et al, plaintiffs, vs. Dora Schuman et al, defendants. By virtue of execution issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at 12 o'clock, noon, at the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7th, 1913 between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 12 o'clock m., the following described goods and chattels, situated at 427 south Main street, Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Block of goods, consisting of grocery, stock, boots and shoes, clothing, notions, cigars, tobacco, crockery, furniture, household goods, stove, 2 ice chests, and all goods in room located at 427 south Main street, Lima, Ohio. Also 1 horse, wagon and harness.

Terms of sale: Cash. M. WATTE, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio. Lima, Ohio, December 27, 1912. E. E. EVERETT, Plaintiff's Attorney. dec 28th

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No. 5 Daily 12:15 p. m.
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No. 26 1:24 a. m.
No. 6 7:04 a. m.
No. 18 8:26 a. m.
No. 16 1:27 p. m.
No. 12 1:58 p. m.
No. 22 All Pullman 3:24 p. m.
No. 8 9:30 p. m.
No. 2 10:29 p. m.

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No. 25 2:02 a. m.
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No. 25 8:57 a. m.
No. 21 10:30 a. m.
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No. 18 Daily, Ex. Sunday 6:50 a. m.
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No. 2 Daily 6:35 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

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DESTROYED BY FLAMES

Barn in Rear of Page Residence Was Prey to the Flames.

FIREMEN DID EFFECTIVE WORK.

False Alarm Sent in From the West End Last Evening.

Fire completely destroyed a barn in the rear of the home of Lyman W. Page, assistant superintendent of the Buckeye Pipe Line Company, at 734 West North street, about 10 o'clock last night. The barn was owned by Dr. F. G. Steiner who owns the house in which Page resides. One hundred and fifty telephones were thrown out of commission, while the barn of Daniel W. Morris, of Morris Brothers, was also damaged.

The fire was discovered by Mr. Page, who turned in the alarm. The noise from the crackling timbers awakened neighbors, while the reflection of the light, enhanced by the fallen snow, lighted up the sky and gave the appearance of a much larger fire. Hundreds of spectators hurried to the scene to watch the progress of the firemen.

The west side department was the first on the scene, and soon had a line of hose playing upon the flames. Some one turned in an alarm from box 74 and summoned the entire equipment of the central department, the north side department taking its position at the central to protect the business district. With three streams of water playing on the fire, it was soon under control, and the flames were confined almost entirely to the single building.

The fire had its origin in the south end of the building, but Mr. Page was unable to give any cause for the fire, and an investigation by Chief Mack failed to suggest a reason for the fire. He will continue the investigation today.

Thirty-five chickens, belonging to

GENERAL JONES WILL MARCH TO WASHINGTON.



General Rosalie Jones, commander-in-chief of the suffragette army, which has completed the march from New York City to Albany, where the suffrage message was delivered to Governor Sulzer, is contemplating a more ambitious pilgrimage to Washington.

Mr. Page was burned to death in the fire. The owner had planned to enter them in competition at the Lima Poultry Show next week. They were valued at \$60. The firemen rescued others, while Mr. Page saved some of them from burning up before the department arrived.

False Alarm.
The chemical wagon from the central department and the hose wagon from the west side department answered a false alarm turned in from Box 615 at the corner of Elm and Metcalf streets, soon after 5 o'clock last evening. Chief Mack was unable to find the slightest clue to the guilty party who turned in the alarm.

Owing to the darkness, Chief Mack's wagon narrowly escaped crashing into a cab at the corner of Elm and Pierce streets, and it required quick work on the part of Driver Burgoon to avoid a collision.

Mrs. A. R. Taber, of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.

ST. MARYS MAXOR.

Scott Wilkins will address a meeting at the Assembly room of the Court House, Saturday evening, January 4, at 7:30 p. m., held to protest against the persecution of the editors of the Appeal to Reason. Everybody come and hear the story of the editor's persecution as it will be told by Mayor Wilkins. Admission free.

"IT'S HERE," SATURDAY IS THE DAY, MICHAEL'S IS THE PLACE, READ LAST PAGE, THIS ISSUE.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

The new show which opened at the Orpheum for the last three days of this week is there in quantity as well as quality. There are seven acts on the bill besides the kinematograph photo-play, making an exceptionally long show. There are singing acts, magicians, acrobats, blackface comedians and girl acts. In fact anything you wish to see is handed you.

The show is up to the standard in every respect. Matinees daily at 2:30 p. m.

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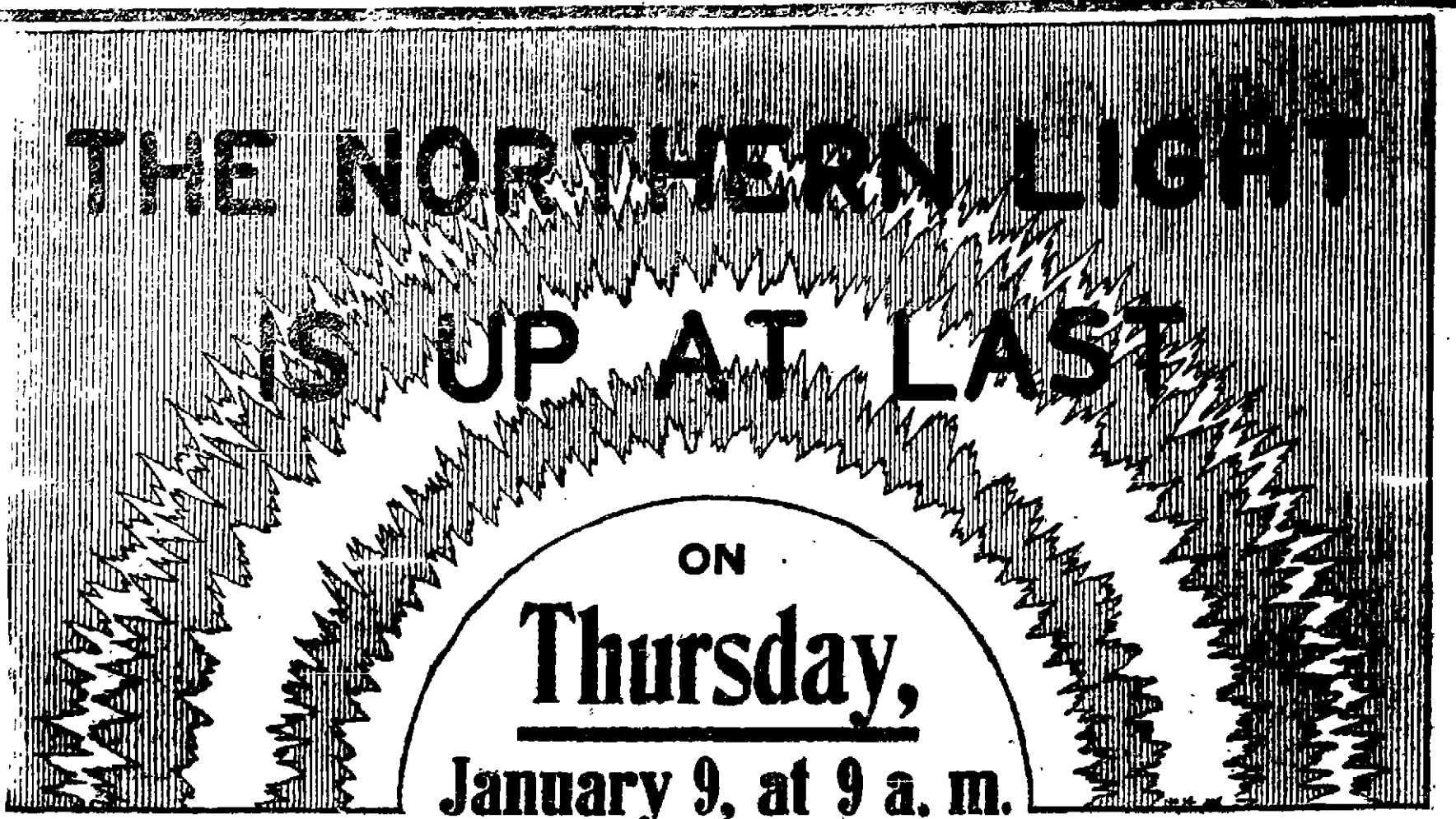
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| 7 | Headache, Sick Headache, Vertigo | 25 |
| 8 | Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak Stomach | 25 |
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A SCION OF NOBLE BLOOD

Prof. Otto Scholtz Believed to Have Been Member of Royal Family.

GERMAN CONSUL IS IMPORTUNED

To Establish Dead Man's Identity Before Funeral is Held.

The German consul at Cincinnati has been importuned by local friends of the late Prof. Otto Scholtz, former leader of the Lima Philharmonic orchestra, to establish whether or not the deceased musician was a scion of an emigrant German family, known as the Von Heyden family. In the meantime, the funeral of the dead musician is being held at the Williams and Davis mortuary, unless some word is received from the Fatherland, the funeral will be held at the morgue tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. H. C. Schluter, pastor of the German Evangelical Reformed church, will have charge of the services.

A search through the dead man's effects in his room in the Badeau block on south Main street revealed letters addressed to O. Falke Von Heyden and several personal cards bearing the same name. The discovery of the letters and cards led the searchers to believe that Scholtz fled from the old country and came to America, where he took an assumed name and became an instructor of music.

The Von Heyden family is one of the foremost military families in Saxony, and its ancestry dates back as far as 1233 A. D. Its members are related to the Von Buelow and Bismark families, and occupy a high social position in Germany.

Scholtz was always silent on the subject of his past life, and this strengthens the belief among his friends that there was a secret connected with his early life that he never laid bare to his friends.

The German consul at Cincinnati has been absent from his office for several days, and returned to Cincinnati only yesterday. He will at once get into communication with the German government and endeavor to establish the identity of the dead musician. It is expected that definite information will be received within the next day or so.

HIDE OF PAUL REVERE!
Historical feature. Royal today only 5c.

One of Our Quaker Customs.
The two citizens of the United States who are every four years elected president and vice president do not have any official notification of their election. Information regarding the event goes to them as it goes to the public. Neither a federal constitution nor the election count makes any provision for notifying them or having to them a communication certifying their election. They do not even receive from the president of the senate and the speaker of the house a certified copy of the proceedings of the joint meeting of the two bodies at which the certificates of the electoral votes of the several states are opened and counted. Nor is any committee of either body or both bodies appointed to wait upon them or otherwise notify them of the result. Some kind of commission is issued to all other officers of the government, but the president and the vice president have no official document as evidence of their election. It is merely a case of common knowledge.—Buffalo Courier.

At a Ship and Cargo.
One of the best known rivermen in town was attending a dinner in Pittsburg recently, several Louisville men being present. Before the dinner this fresh water salt had joined a convivial company, and at the affair that evening, he was almost speechless, but perfectly happy. Further, he managed to do his share in the consumption of the viands.

When they served the ices they were put before the banqueters in those little paper cases, with the fruit around the edge. The gallant riverman plunged in and ate the whole blooming thing—paper and all. One of the Louisville men sitting near him was appalled. "Leaning over to the waiter," he said, "Captain, look out; you're eating the paper as well as the ices."

"Oh, I don't care!" returned the ship. "I'll eat the whole thing, ship, cargo and all!"—Louisville Courier Journal.

His Attempt Was Vain.
They had been having a discussion concerning the necessity or otherwise of purchasing a new silk dress in order to be on a level with the De Monkeys next door. Banks had vetoed the purchase on the ground of extravagance and want of funds, and his wife was much put out.

A Breach of Promise Case

By F. A. MITCHELL

"My daughter," said Judge Landolt to Mr. Ralph Fanning, "since need has come to me to ask for her hand has changed her mind. Not so to her feelings toward you, but she has decided to pursue the profession she has been studying under my tutelage. We are a race of lawyers, and my daughter inherits the family inclination. After giving an affirmative answer to your suit she fell to considering that marriage would necessarily prevent her following a legal career."

"It seems to me, judge, that this is a case of breach of promise. I, too, have inherited legal instincts from a long line of jurists. My great grandfather was an associate United States justice, my grandfather was an eminent criminal lawyer."

"Enough. You enter a charge against my daughter of breach of promise. You shall have an opportunity to substantiate it and she to plead."

The judge called a maid and told her to ask Miss Margaret to step into his study. The lady came in, somewhat surprised to see Mr. Fanning there and anxious to know why she had been summoned.

"My dear," said her father, "Mr. Fanning charges you with breach of promise. Do not understand that it is for the purpose of claiming damages, but I cannot allow you to treat any one unfairly. What have you to say to the charge of accepting him and then throwing him over?"

"I plead not guilty."

"Very well. Now, Fanning, you may proceed to state your case."

"My attentions to Miss Margaret have been noticeable and noticed by our mutual friends for months. She has accepted various trifles from me, especially gifts of flowers, indicating that my attentions were agreeable to her. Last evening I called upon her. We were sitting in a cozy room in this house before a fire of blazing logs. An aroma of the last lot of cut flowers I sent her, arranged in a Dresden vase by her own shapely hands, pervaded the apartment. The cheery firelight contrasted delightfully with the winter gloom without. We sat side by side on a large—"

"I object," cried the lady.

"The objection is not sustained," ruled the judge.

"Nevertheless I prefer to respect the defendant's wishes," said the plaintiff. "I will omit the rest of what happened except so far as it pertains to the law of contracts. I then and there asked your daughter to be my wife. Her head sank—"

"I object again," cried the lady.

"The plaintiff states in one breath that he will omit what happened except as to a contract he claims to have been made and in the next breath he promises—"

"I beg the defendant's pardon," continued Mr. Fanning. "What occurred was the death of my life. I was in a whirl of joy—"

"Yes, yes," interrupted the judge. "The court understands all that. He has been there himself, though many years ago. Please confine yourself to the contract."

"Your daughter, her beautiful face buried against my breast, whispered 'Yes.'"

WRESTLING WITH TASK

Finance Committee Making Progress With Appropriation Ordinance.

MEETING HELD LAST EVENING

Another Meeting Called for Tomorrow to Consider Service Fund.

Members of the finance committee of the city council held a second meeting last evening in the office of City Auditor Bails Simpson to further the work of preparing the semi-annual appropriation ordinance, which will be presented to the city council next Monday evening for passage. The present at the meeting last evening were Councilmen L. E. Juntus, Joan Keville, and W. S. Shook, the committee, City Solicitor Jackson, City Auditor Simpson and Safety Director Blank.

The session last evening was devoted to the safety fund, Safety Director Blank being on hand to present the needs of the department for the coming six months. Another meeting of the committee will be held tomorrow evening to determine the amount to be appropriated for the coming six months, and to determine the needs of the department for the coming six months.

The meeting of the committee New Year's day was given to a consideration of the provisions for the general fund. By tomorrow evening, the committee hope to have the ordinance in shape for submission to the city council, Monday evening. Economy will have to be practiced in all departments of the city during the coming six months, and the requisitions of the heads of the departments will necessarily have to be pruned.

Judiciary Committee.
The judiciary committee of council, composed of L. E. Juntus, Joan Keville, and W. S. Shook, also held a short meeting in Clerk Lawlor's office last evening to consider the request of the Lima Grocers, Butchers and Clerks Association for an ordinance placing additional restrictions on the butchers operating in the city. No intimation of the report to be returned to council was given by the members of the committee.

Alexander Mullin, Z. A. Crosson, C. E. Kendall, W. L. McClain, and H. F. Stinson, composed the committee from the Association that met with the judiciary committee last evening.

HIDE OF PAUL REVERE!
Historical feature. Royal today only 5c.

TURKS MUST MAKE REPLY

To a Direct Question as to Cession of Fortress of Adrianople

OR CONFERENCE WILL BE SUSPENDED

Twenty-four Hours More Will be Granted to Consider.

London, Jan. 3.—The ninth session of the peace conference was opened in St. James palace at 8 o'clock this evening. The proceedings were presided over by Ex-Premier Lazar Mityukovich, the head of the Montenegrin delegation.

The Balkan peace envoys have decided to put the direct question to the Turkish delegation tonight whether the Ottoman government is prepared to cede the Fortress of Adrianople forthwith.

Unless the Turks give a favorable answer within 24 hours, the conference will be suspended. No other question will be considered by the allies until this point has been settled.

ECZEMA ALL OVER BODY.

Extract from letter of a prominent citizen in Maine who suffered torment with eczema all over his body.

Meats Meats Meats THE PLACE--

20 PUBLIC SQUARE

Follow the crowds and save money. Saturday night our semi-annual inventory is taken. We positively do not want to carry over one piece of fresh or salt meats. Prices changed on some meats every hour.

A Few of Our Specials for Saturday, Jan. 4, '13

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| Back Bones | 6c per lb. | Veal Stew | 8c per lb. |
| Fresh Picnic Hams | 12c per lb. | Good Luck Butterine | 19c per lb. |
| Porter House Roasts | 14c per lb. | Salt Pork | 13c per lb. |
| Porter House Steak | 15c per lb. | Brick Cheese | 18c per lb. |
| Veal Roasts | 10c to 12½ per lb. | Lard Compound | 8½c per lb. |

BUEHLER BROS.

20 Public Square. 20 Public Square.

Markets in 31 Cities in 10 States. Government Inspected Meats.

Main Office Chicago, Ill. Packing House Peoria, Ill.

REAL FACTS NOT KNOWN

Of the Tragedy in Which One Man Lost His Life.

ONE YEAR'S SERVICE IN PENITENTIARY

Will be Served by Schulteis, Who Went in Today.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Refusing to tell the real facts concerning the crime for which he will pay the penalty, and carrying his own commitment papers, Emil Schulteis, of Hamilton, Butler, county, sentenced to one year in the penitentiary, was received at the state prison today.

Schulteis pleaded guilty to manslaughter in connection with the murder of John Hardesty and refused a suspended sentence on condition that he would tell all the facts.

George Schulteis, Emil's father, and Chris Dill were indicted for the killing of Hardesty, but when Emil Schulteis pleaded guilty, the charges against the other two men were dropped.

The sentence was imposed by Judge Harlan, who succeeded Judge Warren on the bench. Judge Harlan was Schulteis' attorney before he became judge and the arrangement to allow Schulteis to be his own custodian on his way to the penitentiary is said to have been satisfactory to the former judge.

Hardesty, who had served a term in the penitentiary, was killed in the garden of the Schulteis family during a quarrel in which Mrs. Schulteis is said to have been badly beaten. The real facts of the murder never became known.

HIDE OF PAUL REVERE!
Historical feature. Royal today only 5c.

THE MARKET

New York, Jan. 3.—The leading stocks with the exception of Readings, were lower at the opening of the market today. Rubber and Beer Sugar fell back 1½. Canadian Pacific 1½ and Copper ¾. There was further heavy selling of Western Maryland following its sharp break yesterday and its loss was extended by 4½ points.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 2,500; market slow, weak; heavies \$5.70@5.80, Texas steers \$4.75@5.80, western steers \$5.75@7.60; stockers and feeders \$4.25@7.60; cows and heifers \$2.85@7.60, calves \$6.50@10.80.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market generally 5c higher; light \$7.25@7.55; mixed \$7.25@7.60; heavy \$7.25@7.80; rough \$6.25@6.35; pigs \$5.75@7.45; bulk of cases \$7.45@7.55.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; market steady to strong, native \$4.35@5.40; western \$4.40@5.50, yearlings \$6.10@7.70; lambs native \$6.20@8.75; western \$6.25@8.75.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 3.—Cattle—Receipts none.

\$7.70; heavy Yorkers \$7.95; light Yorkers \$8.00, pigs \$5.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,500.

top sheep \$5.60; top lambs \$9.25.

Calves—Receipts 200; top \$11.50.

NEW YORK PRODUCE

New York, Jan. 3.—Butter, steady and unchanged; receipts, 9,812 tubs.

Cheese, steady and unchanged; receipts, 3,391 boxes.

Eggs, steady; receipts, 5,988 cases.

Fresh gathered eggs and lower grades, 20¢@22¢; refrigerator, special marks, fancy, local storage charges paid, 20¢@20½¢; refrigerator thirds and poorer, 12¢@17½¢; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery whites, fancy, large new laid, 35¢@36¢; do, selected whites, defective in size and quality, 28¢@34¢; do, gathered brown and mixed colors, 24¢@26¢; western gathered whites, 24¢@32¢.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Wheat advanced today in response to reports that the weather in the winter crop belt was mainly clear and cold. There were also speculations that export shipments were being worked by way of the Gulf. Firm cables and lack of selling pressure added to the upturn. The opening was a shade lower to ¼c up. May started at 91, a loss of a sixteenth, and then rose to 91½.

Snow here and predictions of additional unsettled weather strengthened corn. May opened a shade to ½¢ higher at 48½¢ to 49¢ and mounted to 49½¢.

Scarcity of cars tended to harden the oats market. May, which started unchanged to a sixteenth off at 32½¢ to 33¢, advanced to 33¢.

Provisions took the upgrade with hogs. First sales ranged from last night's level to 7½¢ higher, including May at \$18.00 for pork, \$9.72½¢ to 9.75¢ for lard and \$9.67¢ to 9.87¢ for ribs.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 200; active.

Veals—400, active at \$7.00@11.00.

Hogs—Receipts 600; active; heavy \$7.80@7.90; mixed \$7.90@8.00; Yorkers \$8.00@8.15; pigs \$8.10@8.15; roughs \$7.00@7.15; stage \$5.50@6.00; dairies \$7.80@8.10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 11,000, slow; lambs \$5.00@8.75; yearlings \$4.50@7.50; wethers \$5.25@5.50, ewes \$3.00@5.00; sheep mixed \$4.00@5.00.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, O., Jan. 2.—Close:

Wheat, Cash \$11.12½; May \$11.16½; July 35½.

Corn: Cash 47½; May 50½; July 51½; September 52½.

Oats: Cash 36½; May 35½; July 35½.

Rye, No. 2, 64.

Clover seed: Prime cash and January \$11.55; February \$11.65; March \$11.65; October \$8.50.

Alfalfa: Prime cash \$12.90; March \$12.00.

Timothy: Prime cash \$1.90; February \$1.95; March \$1.97.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Butter—Steady, creameries 27¢@28¢.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts 2,214 cases; fresh receipts at mark, cases included 21¢@22¢; refrigerator, ordinary fresh 17½¢; firsts 22¢@23½¢.

Cheese—Steady, dairies 16¢@17¢; twins 16¢@17¢; young American 16¢@17¢; long horns 15¢@17¢.

Potatoes—Steady; receipts 50 cars; Michigan and Minnesota 53¢@52¢; Wisconsin 48¢@52¢.

Poultry—Firm; turkeys, alive, 15¢; dressed 20¢; chickens, live, 13¢; springs, live, 14¢.

Veal—Steady, 9¢@11¢.

To Accommodate

Christmas Savings Club Patrons

The Lima Trust Co.

will be open from 7:30 to 8:30 Saturday evening. No business will be transacted other than opening Christmas Savings Club accounts.

The opportunity to open these accounts is rapidly drawing to a close.

\$1.98

Buy any Ladies' Hat in the house. "All Ladies' and Men's Clothing at reduced prices. Liberal discount on stoves and furniture. We Give and Guarantee Profit Sharing Stamps. Ask for Them Everywhere. CLOTHING AND FURNITURE CHARGED ON SAME BILL.

Flyer No. 249

We have 500 distinct pieces of the beautiful iridescent glassware to sell, in dainty colorings, blown in the glass gold effects; 17 different styles consisting of tumblers, vases, cake dishes, etc. Come early, for 500 pieces won't last till noon. Flyer No. 249—Saturday Special, worth 25c, only.

ASK US TO CHARGE IT.

SAM'L G. BLATTNER

323 325 N. MAIN ST. LIMA'S ONLY CREDIT DEPARTMENT STORE

CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK

Cleveland, O., Jan. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 200; market steady.

Veal Calves—Receipts 150; market steady. Good to choice \$10.50@11.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 3,000. Lambs 25c lower. Choice spring lambs \$8.50, fair to good \$6.50@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts 5,000. Market 10c higher. Heavies and mediums \$7.70; Yorkers \$7.80; light Yorkers and pigs \$7.90; roughs \$6.90, stage \$6.00.

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK

Cincinnati, Jan. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 532, active; steers \$4.85@5.50; heifers \$4.00@7.25; cows \$2.75@6.00, calves steady, \$6.50@11.00.

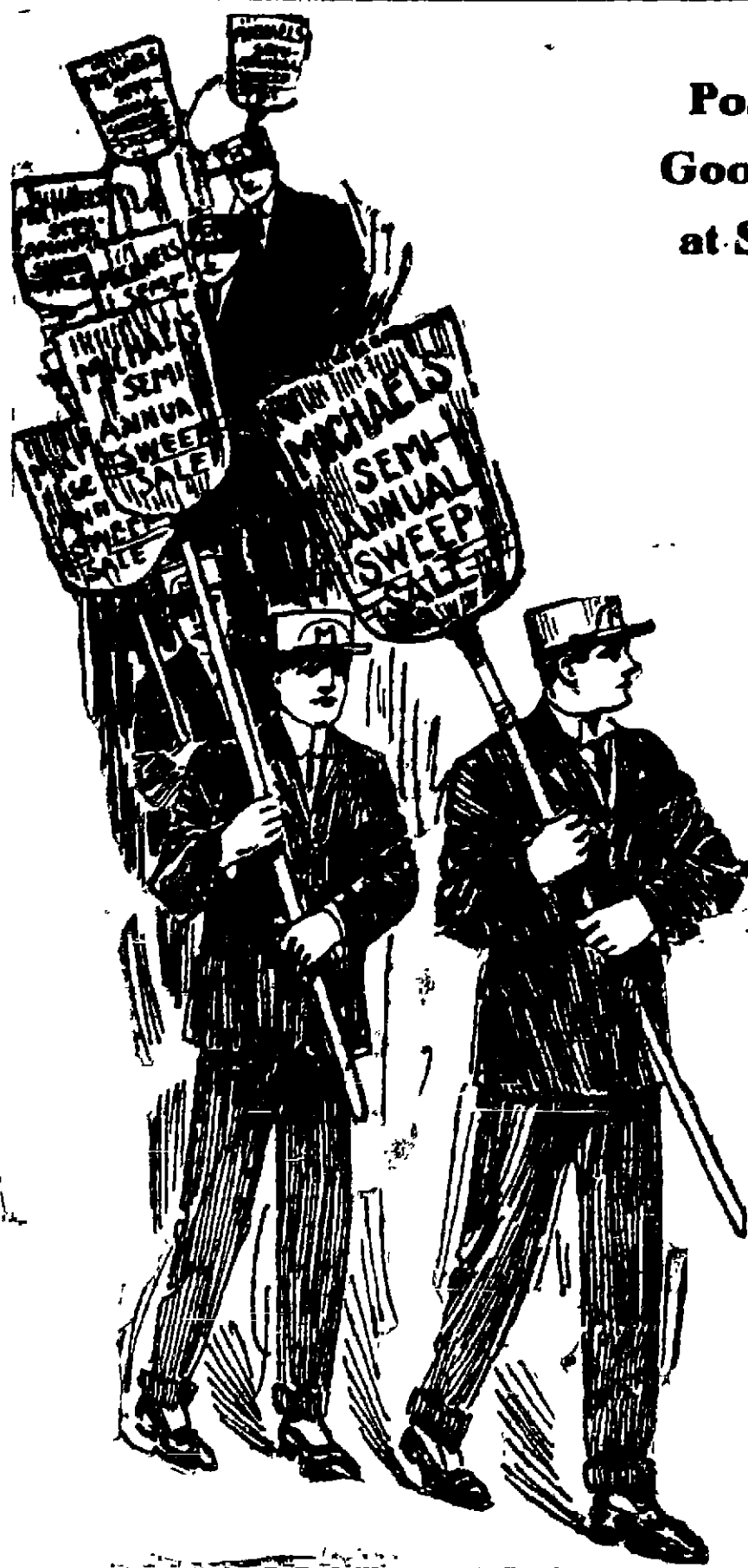
Hogs—Receipts 4,224, active and 10c higher; packers \$7.50@7.65; common sows \$5.00@6.75, pigs and lights \$5.50@7.70; stage \$4.00@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts 291; strong, \$2@4; lambs strong, \$5.25@5.50.



LEISER

Don't let the cold weather of the British winter take the life out of you. A soft, warm, and comfortable material of natural imitation in a small, "pique" pattern. This does not mean that it is not unlike that of other imitations, but it is a perfect miniature portrait of the real thing. Every detail is wonderfully correct. There are the white face, the pouting lips, the broad, low forehead and even the whites of the slightly upturned eyes. The attendants say that it is utterly impossible to convince even some of the educated visitors that it is not an artificial production.



Positively No
Goods Charged
at Sale Prices.

Michael's

IT'S HERE...
The Greatest
Saving Event.

SEMI-ANNUAL SWEEP SALE

Starts Saturday, Jan. 4,

1913

Our Semi-Annual Price Reductions are more pronounced and selections more varied. The greatest sale of high grade, popular priced Clothing, Hats and Furnishings ever offered the public, opens Saturday, January 4th, 1913. SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Men's and Young Men's Stein-Bloch and Cloth- craft Clothes

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| \$10 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$7.48 |
| \$12 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$8.58 |
| \$15 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$10.98 |
| \$18 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$13.48 |
| \$20 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$14.76 |
| \$22.50 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$16.75 |
| \$25 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$18.95 |
| \$30 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$21.98 |

Suit--SPECIAL--Overcoat

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| \$5.50 and \$9.00 Grade, at..... | \$5.98 |
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Boys' and Juvenile SAMPECK CLOTHES

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| \$2.50 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$1.98 |
| \$3.00 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$2.28 |
| \$3.50 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$2.48 |
| \$4.00 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$2.98 |
| \$5.00 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$3.78 |
| \$6.00 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$4.48 |
| \$7.50 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$4.98 |
| \$8 and \$8.50 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$5.48 |
| \$10 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$7.48 |
| \$12.00 Suits and Overcoats, at..... | \$8.48 |

Men's and Young Men's SINGLE TROUSERS

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| \$1.50 Trousers, at..... | \$1.15 |
| \$2.00 Trousers, at..... | \$1.48 |
| \$2.50 Trousers, at..... | \$1.98 |
| \$3.00 Trousers, at..... | \$2.25 |
| \$3.50 Trousers, at..... | \$2.98 |
| \$4.00 Trousers, at..... | \$3.25 |
| \$4.50 Trousers, at..... | \$3.48 |
| \$5.00 Trousers, at..... | \$3.98 |
| \$6.00 Trousers, at..... | \$4.98 |
| \$7.00 Trousers, at..... | \$5.48 |

RAIN COAT SPECIAL

English Slip Ons, Water Sheds and Double Texture Coats. Men's, \$5.00 UP; Boys', \$2.50 AND UP.

SWEEP SALE SPECIAL--
10 PER CENT DISCOUNT

Phenomenal Reductions in Furnishing Goods Department.

HAT SECTION

Imported and Domestic styles, Velour, Scratch-up and Knapp Felt Hats:

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| \$1.00 HATS, at..... | 78c |
| \$1.50 HATS, at..... | \$1.15 |
| \$2.00 HATS, at..... | \$1.48 |
| \$2.50 HATS, at..... | \$1.98 |
| \$3.00 HATS, at..... | \$2.25 |
| \$3.50 HATS, at..... | \$2.75 |
| \$5.00 HATS, at..... | \$4.00 |

CAP SECTION

In Furs, Suitings, Leather and Corduroy:

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| 50c CAPS, at..... | 38c |
| 75c CAPS, at..... | 58c |
| \$1.00 CAPS, at..... | 78c |
| \$1.50 CAPS, at..... | \$1.15 |
| \$2.00 CAPS, at..... | \$1.48 |

FUR CAPS, \$2.50 to \$20.00, Sweep Sale Special.

ONE-FOURTH OFF.

HOSIERY SECTION

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| 10c HOSE, at..... | 6c |
| 15c HOSE, at..... | 10c |
| 25c HOSE, at..... | 18c |
| 50c HOSE, at..... | 38c |
| \$1.00 HOSE, at..... | 78c |

Night Robe:

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| In Flannel and Muslin: | |
| 50c ROBES, at..... | 38c |
| \$1.00 ROBES, at..... | 78c |

Winter Underwear Section

Underwear in Union and Two-Piece Styles in Wool, Cotton and Mercerized Goods:

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| \$3.50 UNDERWEAR, at..... | \$2.98 |
| \$3.00 UNDERWEAR, at..... | \$2.48 |
| \$2.50 UNDERWEAR, at..... | \$1.98 |
| \$2.00 UNDERWEAR, at..... | \$1.48 |
| \$1.50 UNDERWEAR, at..... | \$1.15 |
| \$1.00 UNDERWEAR, at..... | 78c |
| 50c UNDERWEAR, at..... | 38c |

SHIRT SECTION

In Flannels, Madras, Percales and Silk Goods. All styles:

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| 50c Grade, at..... | 38c |
| \$1.00 Grade, at..... | 78c |
| \$1.50 Grade, at..... | \$1.15 |
| \$2.00 Grade, at..... | \$1.48 |
| \$2.50 Grade, at..... | \$1.98 |
| \$3.00 Grade, at..... | \$2.25 |
| \$3.50 Grade, at..... | \$2.75 |
| \$4.00 Grade, at..... | \$3.48 |

JEWELRY SECTION

Scarf Pins, Cuff Links, Tie Clasps, Tie Rings, Watch Chains, Tie Pins and Clasp Sets. SWEEP SALE SPECIAL

1-4 OFF

SWEEP SALE SPECIAL

WHITE, BLUE AND RED HANDKER-
CHIEFS, 5c GRADE,

2 Cents.

NECKWEAR SECTION

All new styles, flowing and straight ends, barred, plain and fancy patterns:

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| 25c Grade, at..... | 18c |
| \$1.00 Grade, at..... | 78c |
| \$1.50 Grade, at..... | \$1.15 |
| \$2.00 Grade, at..... | \$1.48 |
| \$3.00 Grade, at..... | \$2.48 |

UMBRELLA SECTION

Silk, Silk and Linen Tops, Plain and Fancy Handles. \$1.00 to \$6.00.

SWEEP SALE SPECIAL

1-4 OFF

Gloves and Mit Section

In Leather, Fur and Knit Goods, lined and unlined for dress and work.

25c to \$6.00. SWEEP SALE SPECIAL,

1-5 Off

House Coats and Lounging Robes

Figured and Plain Styles, warm, comfortable garments, \$3.50 to \$12.00.

SWEEP SALE SPECIAL

1-4 OFF

SWEATER COAT SECTION

In Medium and Heavy Yarns, all colors, shawl, convertible and plain collars, Men's and Boys' 50c to \$10.00. SWEEP SALE SPECIAL,

1-4 Off

TRUNKS, BAGS AND SUIT CASE DEPARTMENT

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| Trunks..... | \$3.50 to \$65.00 |
| Bags..... | \$2.50 to \$22.50 |
| Suit Cases..... | \$1.00 to \$15.00 |

SWEEP SALE SPECIAL--10 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

SWEEP SALE SPECIAL--REGULAR 10c
CANVAS GLOVES,

5 Cents.

Saturday Is
the Day,
Jan. 4th.

Michael's

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the Day,
Jan. 4th.

OIL GOES UP THREE CENTS

Quotation From Lima Of-
fice Today Shows Con-
tinued Increase.

The expected raise in the oil market has come again. For the past some time, in fact for many months there has been an almost steady increase in the price that is being offered for the crude article in almost all of the fields. Until at the present time an unusually good price is quoted.

For the past week the market has stood at one dollar and twenty-five cents for the North Lima oil, and one dollar and twenty for the South Lima and the Indiana. Today, however, the raise came again, and up went the offering three cents per barrel. This placed the quotations from the Lima office of the Ohio Oil Company at one dollar and twenty-eight cents per barrel for the North Lima oil and one dollar and twenty-three cents for the South Lima and Indiana.

RIDE OF PAUL REVERE!
Historical feature. Royal today only 5c.

Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This Liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

C. H. & D. DEPOT ON FIRE TODAY.

Crossed Telephone Wires Caused Small Blaze Which Was Promptly Extinguished by Firemen.

Telephone wires, crossed between the plastering and studding, caused a small fire at the C. H. & D. ticket office about noon today, which was promptly extinguished by the fire department with only a small loss to the property. Employees of the office detected the fire before it had gained much headway, and turned in the alarm.

Both the central and the north side departments answered the call, and a line of hose was run to the location of the fire. Chemicals were also used, and the blaze was confined to a small portion of the wall. The damage will not exceed \$20, covered by insurance.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Wogoman, of north Exeter street, have gone to Dayton to spend several days. Mr. Wogoman is connected with the National Cash Register Company. While in that city, they will visit with Mr. Wogoman's brother.

Miss Grace Dowling, of Houston, Texas, is spending a part of her vacation from Notre Dame college, with a visit over New Year's with relatives in Cleveland. En route home they will be guests of Mr. Tuttle's brother in Medina. They are expected to reach Lima today or tomorrow on the return trip.

THE IDLER.

Dr. G. A. Bachmayer, who has been at Lima hospital for about a week, suffering from an attack of blood-poisoning, will be removed to his home, 450 south Pine street, tomorrow. Dr. Bachmayer is recovering nicely.

That Lima people played an important part in the big gathering at the Bistadford in Columbus on New Year's day is evidenced by the fact that the portrait of Ira R. Longworth of Lima, who presided at the afternoon session, was published in the Ohio State Journal of Thursday morning. The following clipping is from the society columns of the Columbus Dispatch of Thursday evening: "Mr. Richard A. Shappell, leader of the choir in the First Baptist church in Lima, was a visitor in

Columbus for the Bistadford." The State Journal of Thursday morning also made mention of the presence in the city of Mr. Shappell in the capacity of music writer.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

SOCIAL EVENTS.

The meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Perry Collins. Meetings are held monthly, with the first Saturday afternoon of the month as the day scheduled.

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OUR
JANUARY
CLEARANCE
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Children's
FOR FLETCHER'S
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